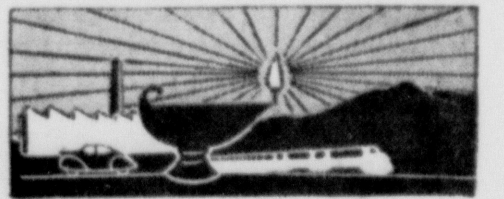


The Weather
Rain ending today; snow flurries in mountains today and tonight; Thursday fair and colder.

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ROME REINFORCEMENTS ARE SMASHED

Entire East Feels Sting of Season's Coldest Weather

Most of the Nation Is Plagued by Rain, Sleet, Snow and Cold Weather

Snowstorm Whips Through Mid-west with the Fall Ranging to Six Inches in Some Sections

By The Associated Press
Snow, sleet, rain and cold plagued most of the nation yesterday (Tuesday).

Millions of easterners felt the sting of the coldest weather of the autumn.

A snow storm whipped through the Midwest with the fall ranging to a half foot in depth and preceded in many sectors by showers and sleet, created new hazards on slippery highways.

Rain doused much of the south from the Mississippi to the Atlantic coast and northward to Cape Hatteras, N. C., and Baltimore.

Three persons were missing and others awaited rescue in the flood waters of Texas, where a three-day storm had sheathed the Panhandle in ice and swelled rivers in eastern and southern parts of the state. Hundreds of families were homeless.

Storm warnings were displayed on the Great Lakes. Forecasters predicted winds approaching gale force, although they did not expect a recurrence of the Armistice day blizzards which sent four boats to the bottom of Lake Michigan with a loss of sixty-nine lives. Several vessels took cover, however, as a precaution.

The lowest temperatures of the current season were recorded at a number of eastern points. They included twenty-five above at Philadelphia, eight in northern New Jersey, twenty and seven-tenths at Boston, fourteen at Portland, Me., ten at Danbury, Conn., twenty-four in New York city, five at Owls Head and three at Wanaque and Salisbury. Snow was in prospect in eastern Pennsylvania and New York.

While a cold shower chilled Baltimore, extra road equipment was ordered out on ice-glazed roads in Maryland's mountainous sections.

Traffic was slow on many dangerous highways in the Midwest, snow pelting parts of Minnesota, Kansas, Nebraska, Missouri, Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin and Michigan.

The fall exceeded four inches at Chicago and measured four inches at Philadelphia, Wis., and six inches at Chillicothe, Mo. Freezing rain made roads treacherous in Ohio.

Colder weather was forecast along the South Atlantic seaboard. A freeze was expected in Arkansas.

Belgian Congo Says It Considers Itself At War with Italy

CAPE TOWN, Union of South Africa, Nov. 26 (AP)—The Belgian Congo considers itself at war with Italy, the governor-general announced tonight in an official communique.

The Congo, he said, was determined to continue the closest collaboration with Britain and her allies. Italy, he added, had committed hostile acts against Belgium.

Germany Will Leave Greek Fight Entirely to Italians

Nazis Have No Intention of Intervening To Help Southern Axis Partner

Writer Declares Britons Are Facing Darkest Days Since Flanders

England Is Looking More and More to America for Important Supplies To Battle Germany

(The following revealing dispatch on the seriousness of England's condition is from Drew Middleton, Associated Press correspondent who was with the British expeditionary force in France and who has spent much time with all arms of the British war machine. It is significant because it passed through a censorship which heretofore has frowned on such statements. It may mean that the British have changed their attitude and believe that a dark picture of their danger would arouse more sympathy in the United States than the confident optimism displayed so far by the government.)

(Middleton is a native of New York city and a graduate of Syracuse university.)

By DREW MIDDLETON
LONDON, Nov. 26—Britons, painfully aware of their inability to stop the Luftwaffe's night raiders and resist under German domination of the war, more and more are looking to the United States for all-important supplies to wrest the initiative from the Nazis.

The British are confident they have the men, but it is arms, planes, tanks and more ships that they need urgently and must have to battle the Axis upon equal terms.

Even the most optimistic officials here in the "front line" admit there is much to be done in preparation before Britain can take the offensive. At first they said an offensive could be expected in 1941; now they talk of 1943 and 1944.

Britain still rules the waves, but needs more American help to do it. A considerable part of recent staggering shipping losses can be traced to deficiencies in escort ships.

Unless Britain can get more United States destroyers to go with the fifty already obtained, shipping losses likely will continue at a high level. There likewise is the need for merchant ships and this need will grow as spring brings an increase in U-boat activity.

Only today Minister of shipping Ronald H. Cross made the ominous admission that Britain is losing ships faster than she can replace them.

While Britain's shipyards are working at capacity, part of the (Continued on Page 2, Col. 3)

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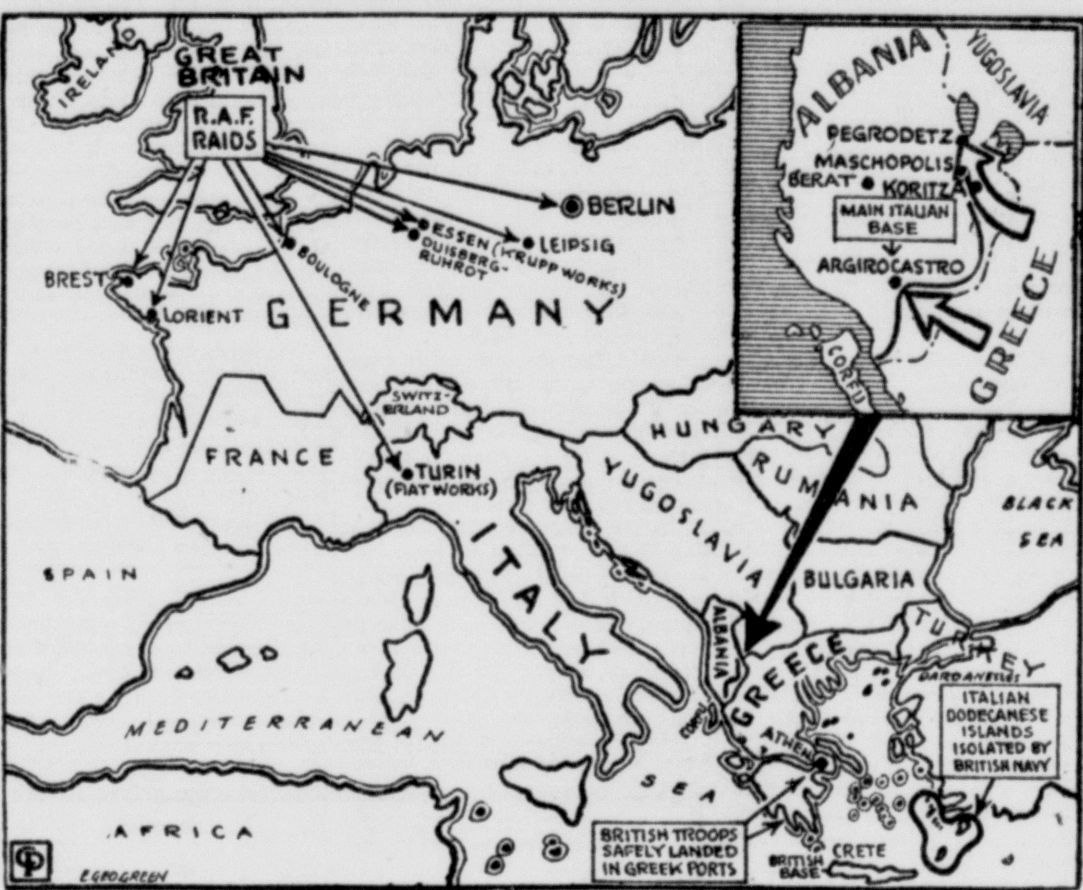
By The Associated Press
ROME, Nov. 26—Well-informed sources in Rome said today that Germany was leaving the fight against Greece entirely up to Mussolini's Italian legions, with no intention of intervening there to help her Southern Axis partner.

The same sources also scouted rumors here that the Nazis were preparing to take military action against Turkey.

The Reich is only attempting through diplomatic activity to keep Turkey from entering the war on the side of her neighbor, Greece, an informant said.

Spain Staying Out
A source here said, there is no German military movement in Balcania and only a few Nazi troops are in Rumania and none in Bul-

HOW WAR IS BEING CARRIED INTO AXIS COUNTRIES



This Central Press map shows how British flyers and Greek soldiers are carrying the war into the lands of the Axis powers. As British bombers batter German industrial centers and German-occupied French ports, Greek thrusts have penetrated into Italian-held Albania. As the map shows, the British have blockaded the Italian Dodecanese islands in the eastern Mediterranean sea and have managed to land troops in Greece despite the Italian air force and navy.

Rackeering in Labor Unions Is Flayed by AFL

Resolution Provides for Adoption of Necessary Disciplinary Legislation

By JAMES MARLOW
NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 26 (AP)—The American Federation of Labor adopted today a resolution condemning rackeering in labor unions and authorized its executive council to act should unions evade their "responsibilities."

There was nothing in the resolution, adopted without a protesting vote, to indicate what action the council could take. With convention approval, the council yesterday stripped itself of the power to suspend a single union but said it should be given power instead to suspend two or more unions engaged in a "dual movement."

Discipline Necessary
AFL's national and international unions were advised by the resolution to adopt necessary legislation for adequate disciplinary action against any of their officers or members "who may have been (Continued on Page 2, Col. 1)

What's a Felony In Maryland Is Puzzling Question

Walsh Says Term Is Not Susceptible to Accurate Definition

BALTIMORE, Nov. 26 (AP)—What's a felony in Maryland? State Selective Service officials, who must defer draftage men convicted of felonies, would like to know. One, it developed today, so would the state law department.

Attorney General William C. Walsh, in an opinion asked by Lieut. Comdr. C. H. Bryant, observed that "the term 'felony' is not susceptible to accurate definition" and added:

"Whether or not a crime is a felony is determined in most jurisdictions by the type of punishment which may be imposed, but in Maryland, this rule was rejected."

Here, Walsh cited a court ruling which held that "only those are felonies which were such at common law or have been declared so by statute."

Therefore, the attorney general informed Bryant, local draft boards must first determine whether a man was convicted of a common law crime or a violation of some statute. Further, Maryland has statutory variations of crimes ordinarily regarded as felonies and the (Continued on Page 2, Col. 4)

Roosevelt Proposes Air Lines Hold Up Plans for Commercial Expansion

Thinks Production Efforts Should Be Devoted Entirely To Building Military Planes

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26 (AP)—President Roosevelt proposed today that commercial air lines withhold plans for expansion so that increased production efforts might be devoted entirely to the building of military planes.

Discussing the subject with reporters at his press conference, Mr. Roosevelt emphasized that he wanted to keep commercial aviation operating at its present level and was concerned only with its plans for expansion.

Expects Cooperation
He said he did not want to invoke his authority to require factories to give priority to fighting craft and that he believed producers would cooperate in developing all increased facilities to the nation's military needs.

Mr. Roosevelt's comment followed an announcement by Secretary Stimson that the War department had asked the National Defense Priorities Board to prevent commercial air line expansion Stimson (Continued on Page 10, Col. 3)

British Army Sources Say England's Position in Near East Is Stronger

Situation Has Changed Quickly Since Italy Entered War June 10

By EDWARD KENNEDY
CAIRO, Egypt, Nov. 26 (AP)—British army sources say Britain's position in the Near East appears stronger today than at any time since Italy entered the war June 10.

They describe the Italian situation thus: One army in retreat in Albania, a second stalemated in the Western Egyptian desert, a third cut off from supplies in Ethiopia.

But situations change quickly and the British say they are alert to meet any new development which might threaten their hold on the vital Mediterranean.

Two possible developments stand out: Italy may throw heavy reinforcements into Albania in a desperate attempt to regain lost prestige and overwhelm the Greeks or;

Hitler, moving to the aid of his Southern partner, may crash through the Balkans, bringing the Reich's army and air force to Mediterranean shores.

British officers say now that if

Greeks Say Italians Are Fleeing Toward Adriatic; More Towns Fall As Army Pushes Deep into Albania

President Confers With Several Aides On Strikes in Vital Defense Industries

Members of Senate and House Advocate Vigorous Action To Prevent Delays Plant

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26 (AP)—The problem of strikes in vital defense industries was studied by the president and his advisers today and by congressional committees.

Members of both Senate and House advocated vigorous action, but the impression prevailed that officials considered the existing administrative machinery adequate to deal with the matter and President Roosevelt indicated that no new legislation would be sought now.

Mr. Roosevelt conferred with Secretaries Stimson and Knox, Attorney General Jackson and Sidney Hillman, labor member of the defense commission.

Want Factories Kept Open
He told his press conference afterwards that the main thing was to keep factories with government contracts open and undamaged but that there was nothing to report on the conference except that they had a very good chat.

The president had been in close touch with the Vultee aircraft strike situation in California and was advised of the settlement before it was publicly announced.

Mr. Roosevelt's announcement at the same time that he hoped to confer Friday with State and Justice department officials and Chairman Dies (D-Tex.) of the House Committee Investigating Un-American Activities led to speculation that the entire question of hindrances to defense production, including sabotage and subversive activities as well as strikes, had been under discussion.

Dies issued a statement expressing his committee's readiness to "lend every possible aid" in efforts "to prevent a repetition of Communist-instigated strikes and acts of sabotage."

The House Judiciary Committee was called to a special session by Chairman Sumners (D-Tex.) to discuss (Continued on Page 2, Col. 3)

England Seeks Aid From Shipyards of The United States

Admit Merchant Vessels Being Sunk Faster Than They Can Replace Them

By The Associated Press
LONDON, Nov. 26—The British government acknowledged tonight that its merchant ships are being sent to the bottom faster than they are being replaced, and publicly appealed to "the shipyards of the United States" to help make up the difference.

"By themselves," said Minister of Shipping Ronald H. Cross in a broadcast, "the resources of the empire are not enough."

"I am not going to hide the fact that the rate at which we are building ships does not make up for our losses."

"We must have ships. Our life here and the issues which hang on our having enough ships are so tremendous that we cannot make too sure of our shipping position in the months and years which may pass before we have made victory secure. We must have a safety margin."

While the minister thus spoke soberly of Britain's situation upon the seas, the food ministry disclosed that banana imports would be stopped within a few weeks because the fruit was considered non-essential (Continued on Page 2, Col. 7)

GOING TO ALASKA



Shown with his wife and eight-year-old son Walter, the Rev. Hugh Dowler, Pueblo, Colo., Lutheran minister, has been assigned to open the first church in Sitka, Alaska, where the United States is establishing a large plane and submarine base. The clergyman was well-known before he married and decided to enter the ministry.

Bid for Bulgarian Neutrality Made By Great Britain

Promises Best To Assure Future Independence if Bulgaria Stays Neutral

By The Associated Press
LONDON, Nov. 26—Britain lifted a hopefully beckoning diplomatic finger at Bulgaria today, promising that if she would stay neutral this country would do its best when peace comes at last—to assure her future independence.

The overture was made bluntly in the House of Commons by Lord Halifax, the foreign secretary, through Undersecretary R. A. Butler, who submitted this written statement:

"Lord Halifax welcomes this opportunity of stating that provided Bulgaria does not join or assist, either actively or passively, the enemies of Great Britain or attack her Allies, it is the intention of his Majesty's government to do their best to insure that in any eventual peace settlement to which Great Britain is a party the integrity and independence of Bulgaria shall be fully respected."

The reference to British Allies (Continued on Page 2, Col. 4)

Non-Military Public Works Projects Will Be Curtailed

Roosevelt Says New Federal Budget Will Provide Cuts in Appropriations

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26 (AP)—The new federal budget, President Roosevelt said today, will provide sharp cuts in appropriations for all non-military public works.

The chief executive explained to his press conference that by spring and summer the defense program was going to use the very greatest number of people out of work and wanting to work.

Because this would cut down the total of the needy unemployed, he said, new spending should be concentrated on defense.

Non-military projects will be cut to the bone, he continued, but small amounts will be set aside to finance engineering plans for such projects as already approved. These plans will be put on a shelf to be taken down when employment in

Choice Regiment of Romans Reported Scattered by Bayonet-Thrusting Soldiers of Greece

By The Associated Press
ATHENS, Nov. 26—Bayonet-thrusting Greeks were declared today to have scattered fresh Italian troops—"a choice regiment of Romans," the Greeks called them—thrown into action in a desperate attempt to bolster the center of the sagging Albanian battle line.

There was no stopping their forces here or anywhere else along the rambling, mountainous front, the Greeks reported.

In the north, they said, Greek fighters pushed steadily beyond Pogradetz, Italian stronghold thirty miles inside Albania, and in the south they engaged tattered Italian battalions fiercely to hold Agirocastro, the second and last major Fascist "invasion" base, and keep open their path to the Adriatic sea.

The Greek high command's communique tonight said that in the Koritza area six abandoned Italian airplanes, "among other material," had fallen to the Greeks.

A government spokesman declared that not only had Italian reinforcements failed to halt the Greek advance but that these reinforcements were being pushed back in disorder despite their "desperate efforts."

"The broken morale of the other Italians," he added, "has been imparted to these troops. They have been overthrown and are retreating."

The fleeing troops, the spokesman declared, were abandoning nearly all their vehicles. He added that on the bank of a lake near Koritza the Italians had buried "important quantities" of munitions and other materials which had been dug up by the Greeks.

He confirmed reports that Greek forces had been landed on the Albanian coast opposite Corfu and denied Italian claims that they were annihilated or captured.

Capture Konispoli
(Authoritative military circles in London reported some Greek units had got beyond the Greek town of Philhates, near the Albanian border on the coast, and others, landed from ships, had severed Italian communications from the rear. The Greeks themselves have reported the capture of Konispoli, Albanian town just north of Philhates.)

(The Italian high command reported, however, Greek troops which landed on the Epirus coast were "in part destroyed and in part captured with their arms.")

Advices reaching Salonika from various parts of the front indicated all Italian units were seeking to turn toward the Adriatic in their retreat. (Here thirty-one words were censored.)

The Italians were reported to have only two main roads to the Adriatic, one leading north from Agirocastro and the other running west from the Yugoslav border.

Infantry Columns Scattered
Both these routes and feeder roads were said to be crowded with troops and motor equipment, under continual bombing and machine-

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Many Families Made Homeless By Texas Flood

Scores of Persons Await Rescue as Rivers Go on Rampage

By The Associated Press
DALLAS, Nov. 26 — Deep South Texas awaited tonight the blow of more flood waters piled on those which have ravaged it for two days, driving hundreds from their homes, isolating scores and wreaking inestimable crop and livestock damage.

While the debris-littered Panhandle cities of Amarillo, Borger and Pampa thawed slowly, five major Texas rivers—the Brazos, the Colorado, the San Jacinto, the Sabine and the Trinity—threatened to fan over still more lush countryside.

Only the Guadalupe among the larger South Texas rivers showed any signs of settling down.

An indication of the tremendous loss of cattle in Harris (Houston) county was given by three ranchmen who estimated their combined loss at 10,000 head.

Traffic on the great Houston ship channel was hampered by a ten-mile current and by masses of driftwood and debris.

Fair weather was predicted for most of the ice and flood belt state, giving some promise of relief.

A WPA appropriation of \$17,693 sent scores of workers cleaning up the mess of tree limbs, power lines and broken poles at Amarillo, hundreds of miles north of the flood area. Communications were still below normal, the water supply and electric power only partially restored, but train, bus and air service was returning to par.

Racketeering

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found guilty of betraying the trust reposed in them."

Termed a Compromise

Adoption of the resolution came after President William Green challenged any one to point out an instance of racketeering in the AFL. The resolution, termed a "compromise" by David Dubinsky, president of the International Ladies Garment Workers, climaxed the stormiest issue confronting the convention but brought forth no comment except Green's when the vote was cast.

Dubinsky introduced at the start of the convention a week ago a resolution to stop labor racketeering. He urged the AFL to oust any union officer convicted of "any offense involving moral turpitude."

The executive council at the same time suggested in its annual report that the various unions use diligence in "preventing exploiters and gangsters from exercising control over their administrative bodies."

As adopted, the racketeering measure was a revised version of the council's report that contained no mention of the phrase "moral turpitude."

One paragraph of the resolution said:

"That whenever the Executive Council has valid reason to believe that a trade union official is guilty of such offense and the national or international union in question seemingly evades its responsibility, the Executive Council shall be authorized to apply all of its influence to secure such action as will correct the situation."

"I'm satisfied," Dubinsky said after the vote. "I thought it would take maybe two years to get something like that through. It is bound to have its effect."

Green Makes Statement

To the approximately 600 delegates, President Green said:

"I commend the committee report. He have earnestly endeavored as the opportunity presented itself to establish and maintain a great American labor movement on a high and lofty plane. We know we are a publicly functioning body that must rely on a healthy public opinion to survive."

"Them, asserting he challenged any one to 'point out where there is racketeering in the AFL,'" Green declared:

"This body of men will compare favorably with any other body of men of the same number."

The convention also pledged itself to "keep our movement law-abiding," urged legislation to bar from the ballot of any state the Communist party which it charged with being an agency of a "foreign power," and heard Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins ask the AFL to cooperate with employers under the defense program.

Recent appointment of Dr. William Leiserson and Harry A. Mills to vacancies on the labor board was hailed by the AFL as the result of its "strenuous fight" against the old board personnel for the past three years.

"There is room for further housecleaning," declared a resolution adopted by the convention, "and we have every reason to believe that Mr. Leiserson and Mr. Mills will remove those individuals who have perverted the act in their administration of it."

About the time the resolution was being okayed the Senate in Washington was approving the nomination of Mills as board chairman, succeeding J. Warren Madden. Mills, Leiserson and Edwin Smith are the board members.

Secretary Urges Cooperation

"Hearings before various congressional committees," the resolution

VICTIM OF A NAZI BOMB



This weebebone dog, injured in a Nazi air raid on London, is shown after receiving medical treatment in a Blue Cross ambulance of the Royal Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. The Blue Cross constantly tours bombed areas in search of wounded animals, particularly vulnerable to bombers because they are barred from most shelters.

Senators Pass

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stick. To override the provisions of the measure would have to amass a two-thirds majority.

The bill itself, in broad outline, is intended to standardize the procedure of such governmental agencies as the labor board and security commission, to require notice and hearings for anyone substantially affected by their rulings, and to empower courts to review the constitutionality and legality of their rulings and regulations. For many months the measure has been the subject of intense controversy. Anti-New Dealers in Congress, joined by some with pro-New Deal voting records, have argued that these reforms were necessary to safeguard the rights of those with cases before the agencies, and were a matter of simple justice. The opposition has contended that the whole subject needed more study, that the measure would hamstring the agencies by creating opportunities for endless litigation.

Administration leaders previously were determined to oppose it to the end. Some senators were reported to be ready to complicate the issue by attaching the filibuster-producing anti-lynching bill to the legislation, and it possible delay a vote until the session ends automatically on Jan. 2.

But today, with dramatic abruptness, the Democratic leadership changed its strategy. After a half hour had been spent obtaining a quorum, Barkley arose, repeated his objection to taking up the bill at this time, but added that nevertheless he was willing to see an immediate vote.

Barkley Pulls Surprise

The Senate was in no mood to legislate, he said, adding that many members did not know what the bill contained or what its effects would be, although "obviously it will cripple some agencies."

"Notwithstanding," he added, "I am willing to vote today. If the opponents are ready for a vote now, we are ready for a vote."

His announcement took the chamber by surprise. There was a momentary hush and then calls of "vote—vote."

Before the roll call, a stack of committee amendments were adopted. Therefore the measure must go through a conference of representatives of both the House and Senate who will discuss the changes made in the original bill. This phase was regarded, generally, as a formality which would delay the progress of the measure only a short while.

At a press conference late in the day, President Roosevelt declined to say whether he would veto the legislation.

Germany Will

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said, an attack by British mechanized units "in the Sadderat zone and the Ghurghir valley near Serobotib was quickly repulsed by our troops. Some enemy motor vehicles remained in our hands."

The high command said Italian forces "carried out numerous attacks on the entire (Breek) zone of operations in close cooperation with land forces."

At Italians said several buildings—only one of military importance—were damaged in raids by British or Greek planes on the Islands of Leros and Stampalia in the Dodecanese and five raiders were shot down in flames.

Meanwhile the newspaper Il Giornale D'Italia said two of three Italian warships damaged by British in Taranto naval base Nov. 11 would be repaired in three or four weeks.

said, "disclosed that the secretariat force was anti-AFL and frequently acted as propagandists for a dual and rival labor movement."

Secretary Perkins, requested for the first time in three years to appear before the convention, said "labor has status today as never before and that status carries with it responsibility to all the people of the United States."

"That responsibility calls for carrying out all contracts agreed upon, x x x That responsibility calls for sincere and conscientious effort to bring about a fair and honorable adjustment of differences within the labor movement itself."

"It calls for cooperations by labor with employers . . . Production and efficiency . . . in the defense program which we as a nation have undertaken."

Writer Declares

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cities must be devoted to naval construction and repairs.

"We are therefore anxious," he said, "to get more ships built overseas and we are looking primarily to the shipyards of the United States, since by themselves the resources of the empire are not enough."

The press is demanding a speed-up of the still-filtering industries and the use of the unemployed, whose numbers are rising despite the war effort.

Britons have been blinded partly by patriotism, partly by propaganda and their censorship often is guilty of making a reverse look like a victory because the British can and are "taking it."

Complacency, distortion and reluctance to admit the truth are as dangerous to the British cause as nightly bombings.

Indeed, these are dark hours for Britain—the darkest since the "miracle of Dunkerque"—when the British army escaped from the Nazi trap and left the Germans looking longingly at the white cliffs of Dover, only twenty-two miles away. The realization is growing that this winter will be the severest test since those black days back in May.

Confronted with this situation, the government is striving to avoid false optimism, but it still is reluctant to admit or deny German claims of bomb damage or anything at all about military equipment or war industries.

The Germans are using new strategy of singling out provincial towns for blitz blows and Britons outside London blame propaganda to the effect that London is unhurt for the shift to the hinterland, which is not so well protected.

The people are worried because the Germans appear to hold the initiative in diplomacy as well as in the military field.

The cry for the scalp of Lord Halifax as foreign secretary is raised almost daily in the press. Here's a sample: "Our diplomatic position has deteriorated ever since he was appointed x x x It is transparently obvious that he will have to go some day. Why not now?"

Daily the press, officials and radio blare accounts of Italian reverses in Greece, in the Mediterranean, the pull in Africa and the failure of Germany to throw her armed weight immediately to Mussolini's retreating army in Albania.

Yet the headlines and the BBC tell only of "slight damage" and "few casualties" in raids on Britain, when the people themselves can see the wreckage left and are mourning whole families wiped out.

These are the things that the people grumble about. They are far more ready to face the brutal truth than the newspapers and the radio, and they grow sarcastic at the official announcements.

The people of London are cheerful, stubborn and tired. Shelter conditions are terrible, the menace to health is more dangerous potentially than Nazi bombs. Sanitation in sleeping quarters is deplorably inadequate, despite assurances that "steps are being made for their improvement."

All these are the impressions of a man who has spent a great deal of time with the army, navy and air force—and more important—with the people themselves.

President Confers

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possible legislation for dealing with strikes in defense plants. The committee sent a communication to the White House conference asking to be advised whether legislation was needed, and Summers said it would "just stand by" for the present.

Senate Discusses Situation

The Senate Labor Committee, meeting to approve Harry A. Mills' nomination to the labor board, which was speedily confirmed by the Senate, also discussed the strike situation and possible remedial legislation informally.

Senator Bridges (R-NH) of the committees said afterwards that unless the labor unions themselves "clean house of extreme radicals refusing to arbitrate their difficulties," Congress might enact a law making arbitration compulsory.

The Senate itself unanimously passed a bill imposing drastic penalties for "willful injury or destruction" of defense materials. The measure now goes to the president.

Greek Villages Are Attacked by Italian Airmen

Writer Tells of Desperate Effort of Fascists on Southern Battleground

By PETER TOMPKINS

WITH THE GREEK ARMY, Nov. 26 (P)—The Italians opened a furious air attack upon villages and communication lines all along the Southern battlefield sector today in a desperate effort to halt the Greek advance.

I helped dig some of the civilian victims out of their smashed homes. One of these was an American citizen of Greek origin, a woman who was mortally wounded when three Italian bombers dropped more than a dozen bombs on the little village of Delvinakion, two miles from the front. Her mother and her two children, were killed outright. Her husband, whose name was censored, is now in America.

I arrived at the village two minutes after the bombs had fallen about 1 p. m. I could see the planes clearly as they flew over the mountain tops.

In the debris of the town we found a Greek officer with his head blown off. Beside him, a soldier lay dead. Two more men were moaning, wounded in a house nearby. Two small boys lay dead under a heap of splinters and planks.

Telephone communications were interrupted by the bombing, but fortunately an ambulance passed and was put into service. While we were loading it with wounded, two Italian prisoners emerged from the surrounding woods escorted by two Greek soldiers with rifles. Both the Italians were wounded; one, injured in the stomach, rode a small mountain horse. We helped him down. Too sick to talk and his eyes wide in terror, he gasped "Fratello . . . Fratello!"—"brother, brother."

He had lived with his wound two days and two nights in the mountains.

In the village, which was captured six days ago by the Greeks, the bicycles of Italian Bersaglieri were strewn everywhere, along with all kinds of ammunition and other war materials. Here and there Italian uniforms hung from the trees.

The Italian dead lay under rows of new wooden crosses.

What's a Felony

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variations are classed only as misdemeanors.

"Therefore," he observed, "the only sure method of determining the nature of the applicant's conviction is to examine the indictment itself."

Walsh said it was "inadvisable," in view of the "many statutory provisions which may be involved," for the law department to attempt a list of all the statutory felonies in the state.

A partial list included counterfeiting, breaking of tobacco hogsheads "with intent to avoid inspection laws," "embezzlement by bank president or director," incest, larceny of more than \$25, larceny of dogs or cats, larceny of pies, water fixtures or gas fixtures attached to any store or dwelling house, poisoning of streams used for drinking purposes, derailing trains and threatening letters.

"In each instance," Walsh warned, however, "the indictment should be examined. . . . Moreover the date of conviction is highly important, since the law applicable at that time will determine whether or not a felony has been committed."

The attorney general told Bryant "it is with great regret that we are unable to give a more definite answer" and proposed that, when definite questions as to a violation arose, draft board officials "feel free to forward a copy of the indictment involved to us so that an investigation of the specific crime . . . may be made."

Bid for Bulgarian

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clearly was to Greece, whose men are fighting off the Italians now but facing, nevertheless, the possibility of another and stronger Axis thrust through Bulgaria.

It followed by only a day the disclosure in Berlin that Bulgaria—considered previously as an imminent recruit of the German-Italian-Japanese Alliance—was not, after all, expected to sign at present.

This offer of a British guarantee to Bulgaria—which informed persons here thought was not likely to influence that nation greatly in view of the power of Adolf Hitler's Panzer divisions—illustrated the nightmare which has been troubling British strategists, the possibility of a giant pincer closing upon the Suez canal.

This could come about should the Germans strike through a Turkey immobilized by a word from Joseph Stalin while the Italians moved East from Sidi Barrani in Egypt, thus forcing the British to offset two major battles at once—one in the vicinity of the British base of Matruh and the other in Palestine.

The stuff of which this nightmare is compounded is the fact that Russia—which undoubtedly holds a great influence upon vital Turkey—is, as Winston Churchill recently described it, "a riddle wrapped in mystery by an enigma."

Willard Expects To Retire Soon

Reports Are Current He Will Ask B. & O. Directors To Name Successor

BALTIMORE, Nov. 26 (P)—White-haired Daniel Willard, a Vermont farm boy who rose from track laborer to president of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, had transportation circles guessing today as to his immediate future with the road he has headed since 1910.

Reports were current that Willard would ask the B. & O. board of directors at a meeting in New York tomorrow to accept his resignation and make way for a younger man, but these reports could not be confirmed at the road's executive offices here.

Genial "Uncle Dan," dean of railroad presidents, has asked the board to let him step down several times since he turned seventy, but each time he has been prevailed upon to continue as executive head of the road. He will be eighty on Jan. 28.

Willard is rounding out his sixty-first year of railroading, retaining at seventy-nine much of the driving energy and foresight that carried him through the jobs of track laborer, fireman, engineer and trainmaster to executive positions and, finally, the presidency.

He has gained a world-wide reputation as a transportation expert, was a leader in the unification of railroads for wartime purposes, led their fight for existence during the depression, and is particularly noted for his relations with labor.

But for serious eye trouble that forced his withdrawal from the Massachusetts Agricultural college in 1879, Willard might have been a school teacher. The same year he quit school he got his first railroad job, track laborer for the Central Vermont at North Hartland, Vermont, his birthplace.

Although eye trouble robbed him

Adequate Check on Scales, Weights And Measures Proposed for State

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Nov. 26 (P)—

Assenting Maryland has become a "dumping ground" for unsatisfactory scales, weights and measures, a special gubernatorial committee recommended to the Legislative Council tonight establishment of a state department with sufficient equipment and personnel to adequately check such devices.

The committee, appointed by former Governor Nee to make a survey, said in a report read by State Senator Wilmer R. Davis (R-Caroline) that:

"Apparently no such inspection and testing or weighing and measuring devices is effectively carried on anywhere in the state of Maryland, except in the city of Baltimore."

"We are informed that approximately only five counties have a local inspector of weights and measures with none at all in the remaining seventeen or eighteen counties. Even where a county has appointed a local inspector, he does not have sufficient or proper equipment to accurately test weighing and measuring devices."

"The above conditions have resulted in the fact that most of the weighing and measuring devices in use in Maryland are never inspected or tested by competent and efficient authorities."

"It further results also that Maryland has become the 'dumping ground' for obsolete or unsatisfactory scales, weights, measures, pumps, which are rejected by our neighboring states and the city of Baltimore."

"The protection of our merchants, farmers, manufacturers and the

of his college education, Willard since has received more honorary degrees than he can count. The one he prizes most, however, came not from a college but from his employees at a testimonial dinner. It was "doctor of humanity."

public is of vital importance to everyone."

The report recommended that the proposed state department should be operated "without charge" to Maryland taxpayers.

Senator Davis, chairman of the council's sub-committee on weights and measures, said he would prepare a bill for council consideration.

The council went into a night session to hear sub-committee reports after an all-day meeting during which building and loan associations and wholesale fruit and vegetable markets in Baltimore were discussed.

England Seeks Aid

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and made a more bulky cargo than oranges and the like.

The admiralty announced that seventeen British, allied and neutral merchant ships aggregated 59,534 tons had been lost in the week ended Nov. 17, a figure declared to be about two-thirds of the weekly average since the Germans loosed their broadened counter-blockade.

All these official evidences of concern were underscored with a casual symbolism in an attack by nine Nazi Messerschmitt fighters upon a British convoy in the channel—an attack, as it turned out, which the British said failed to hit a single ship. (DNB official German News Agency, described it as a "successful" attack, but did not say whether any vessels were sunk.)

All during the day the channel area was alive with action; British and German long-range guns thunderously traded shells across its breadth for more than two hours and high above the coast British planes repeatedly fought aerial invaders.

Mexicans Cheer Henry A. Wallace

Vice President-elect Receives Ovation on Long Motor Trip

By BEN F. MEYER

MONTERREY, Mexico, Nov. 26 (P)—Across the badlands of northern Mexico Vice President-elect Henry A. Wallace motored tonight on his first visit to the republic.

Roads and villages were dotted with natives, waving greetings to former secretary of Agriculture, who is to represent the United States at the inauguration of Mexico's president, General Manuel A. Camacho, on December 1.

The fanfare began at the frontier. There Mexican Ambassador Castillo Najera met Wallace and party on the International bridge at Laredo, Texas, and presented flowers to Mrs. Wallace and J. D. Lecron, wife of Wallace's secretary.

Tonight in old Monterrey the 150,000 residents planned a boning welcome for the visitors.

Wallace, a student of the Spanish language, responded in the Mexican's native tongue to greetings he crossed the Rio Grande.

In a short speech he said his visit would lead to a better understanding between the people of the two nations.

His act and words brought cheers from Mexicans at the international boundary monument. Governor Marte Gomez of State of Tamaulipas officially welcomed the Wallace party.

Mexican army aviators, in planes covered with American flags, zoomed and soared above the automobile caravan as it moved down the International highway that leads to the industrial city of Monterrey.

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Parents Should Not Worry If Child Is Unsociable with Other Children

BY GARRY C. MYERS, Ph. D.

Many a mother eager to have her child become a good playmate very early is exceedingly discouraged with his lack of sociableness toward other children of his age. She expects too much of him. She should know that up to about three he is by nature an individualist. He just has to learn gradually to cooperate in play with others. While frequent contacts with other children hasten this social requirement a good deal of it is inherent in his growth and development, in his growing older.

During this early period he plays by himself a great deal of the time even if in a nursery school. Though he likes to have other children play near him he prefers to follow his own interests most of the time.

It is when the child's imagination develops rapidly that he is more likely to enjoy dramatic play and choose, therefore, to spend part of his playtime with one or two other children. How well the young child's interest in creative imagination unfolds depends largely on how well his parents adapt themselves to this development, play the part the young dramatist assigns to them, and read and tell folk tales to him.

Association With Other Children

Even the child of five may fol-

low his own play interest most of the time, in the presence of other children his age. While you won't insist that children of this age play cooperatively, it is well for them to play alongside other children of the same age, thus affording them increased inducements to play together.

In the home it is well for the young children not to have duplicate toys. If, for example, two children have a cart or wagon just alike they will confuse the ownership and quarrel over it each growing more independent and selfish. But if one has a cart and the other a wagon, provided each had been trained to respect the other's ownership, they will discover it to their advantage to exchange and cooperate. Two or more children at creative play with blocks may choose to work together for a long stretch of time on the same structure.

Stages of Play

Contrary to popular belief, the play interests of boys and girls up to five or six are very much alike. Much greater sex difference is apparent at the age of eight or ten.

While children differ widely in respect to play interest they all tend to go through the following stages: They first handle materials and enjoy the experiences they get through the senses; then they gradually put things together, first very crudely, later with more and more likeness to the things they say they are creating. As more definite ideas take shape there develops more and more play. Fortunate the child whose parents encourage his creations and inventions, how ever crude, in terms of things or words; who enjoy his yarns of fancy, go with him into his land of make-believe, and who fire his imagination by reading non-fearful fairy tales to him.

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Army Officer Is Convicted; Must Serve 15 Years

MANILA, Nov. 26 (AP)—Convicted by a general court martial on a charge of conspiring to sell military information, Captain Ruffo Romero of the Philippine Scouts has been sentenced to fifteen years imprisonment at hard labor and ordered dishonorably discharged.

Romero, a West Point graduate, had been charged with removing maps from Fort McKinley here for the purpose of selling them. The maps were found in the locked trunk of his automobile. He denied the charges and offered to resign his commission and undergo a brain operation to eliminate any possibility that he could duplicate the maps from memory.



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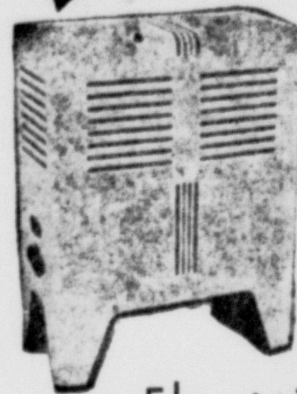
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(sketched at left)

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Boys' Cheviot or Mixed Wool Longies . . . \$1.79

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Accessories—Main Floor—Rosenbaum's



Who's Who At A Party

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Tell him about Arrow Shoreham, the soft, pleated bosom dress shirts with the comfortable collar attached. It is \$3—no prescription needed; permanent cure guaranteed.

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The Men's Store—Main Floor—Rosenbaum's

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The Latest Breath In Chic Fashion!

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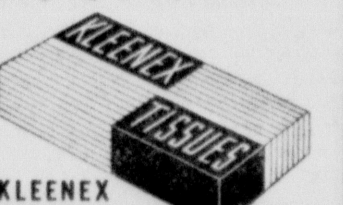


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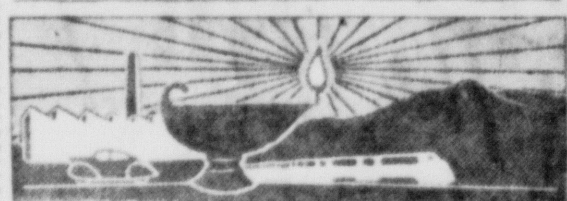
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TENDER CHUCK ROAST	lb. 15c
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ROUND LOIN STEAK	lb. 23c
Armour's Tenderized HAMS	17½¢ lb. Whole or Shank
Sugar Cured BACON	16¢ lb. End Cuts
Tenderized PICNICS	13½¢ lb.

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State Tax Revision Is a Real Need

BALTIMORE REPORTS that the new Rawls tax commission, which is carrying on the work of a like body that prepared a report with recommendations for the General Assembly two years ago, is giving its attention to a plan of reshaping and rationalizing the state tax system.

Here is a real job that is certainly worthy of commendation and support. There are many inequities in the state taxing system, chief among them being the income tax, which is both inequitable and excessively burdensome. We are already hearing that, while inequities are admitted, the question of revenue is not involved therein, but this newspaper does not believe the majority of the taxpayers are in accord with that notion. They have had the word of Governor O'Connor that this tax can be and should be considerably reduced.

An overhauling of the state license laws is said to be under consideration by the commission and that, too, is something to which the General Assembly should give attention in view of the declaration by the commission that the law relating to business licenses is "in unbelievable confusion." Some parts of this law are obsolete and should be repealed, while other parts are inequitable and in need of revision.

New bases and regulations for realty taxation are also long overdue.

The commission is said to be giving thought to the possibility of having the state concentrate its attention to some ten major revenue-producing licenses and leaving the other licensing responsibilities to the cities and towns. It is refreshing to have here this recognition of the rights of local self-government amidst the general trend of centralization that has gone on for several years past.

All in all, the tax commission can aid the legislature considerably by formulating a general plan whereby the state tax laws may be made simpler and fairer, and the victimized taxpayers devoutly hope it will be able to do so.

An Observation Dedicated To a Telephone Number

THIS is a skit dedicated to telephone No. 732, Cumberland.

Of course you tell your friends when you lose something, or have a job that you want fled right away, or have to rent another house or have something to dispose of at a bargain, and the like.

But it takes time and trouble to tell these needs around. You can use the telephone, to be sure, but you cannot always find just the person you seek. You are going at it blindly.

There is an inexpensive but effective medium, however, by which all this work and worry can be done instantly and in a thorough manner. That is the classified advertising department of your home newspaper. Many persons forget about the utility of this medium when endeavoring to supply their wants.

But, it works admirably. The want, or need, is immediately heralded to everybody in the community and among thousands in the surrounding territory.

Results are really surprising. Responses come from these small advertisements to those who use them from quarters they would never have dreamed of investigating.

So, when you lose something, or want something, don't worry about it. Just call up the classified department of your newspaper at the telephone and have a classified "ad" inserted.

Oh yes, about that telephone number to which this skit is dedicated. The number, 732, Cumberland, will connect you with the classified advertising department of the News-Times.

Our Defense Industries Must Not Suspend

RESULTING from suspension of operations at the Vultee aircraft factory in California as the result of labor troubles, members of Congress are considering the enactment of legislation to outlaw defense work strikes.

Something should be done, obviously, to effect satisfactory settlement of these labor disputes in defense industries without suspension of operations, but it might be well to look to the possibilities contained in a sensible revision of the labor laws we already have on the books rather than cluttering them up with more, and thus profit by the experiences of the last few years in a genuine effort to bring about industrial peace, which is the objective of these laws.

There are two things that must be kept in mind at this juncture. One is that with the continued bombings of English industrial communities it is imperative that our own production of vital war materials continue without interruption for the sake of our own national security. The other is the reminder of the awful experience in France, which played a part in the collapse of that nation's defense.

"It was only a few short months ago," a correspondent to the *New York Herald Tribune* from New Haven, Conn., reminds, "that headlines coming out of France told of sit-down strikes and a general tie-up of industry. The factories of that country were silent—a silence broken by the faint rumble of the German war machine. Labor even then fought against increased hours. As the rumble became a roar and cries of horror and sobbing anguish were

lost in the incessant drone of bombing planes, the Republic of France died—died that others might profit by her mistakes. Today the workmen of France, broken in spirit and bereft of everything that was theirs, toll at a fraction of the wage received before those strikes."

That dreadful lesson should not be lost by American labor, by American industry and by American government. There is a way to just industrial peace in this country. It should be found without further delay.

A Needed Step in Our Preparedness Effort

NATIONAL UNITY in the present defense emergency is a vital need, to be sure. But, as Frank R. Kent has pointed out, there has been considerable one-sidedness in the ballyhoo about its application. It should, as he has said, be wholehearted and sought not only by those who have been unable to agree upon governmental theories and practices, but also by governmental officials.

There is one means of attaining the goal by the latter in bringing about unity and efficiency in defense direction at Washington. Reports have long been current about the delay piled upon delay there as the result of the "bottlenecking" of everything through the president's own office. The *New York Herald Tribune* finds here the need of a major remedy.

"To say this," it says, "is by no means to criticize Mr. Roosevelt's intentions. Rather it is to point to a condition which is inevitable when any executive attempts to pass on too many details in person. Men experienced in Washington affairs have complained for years of the difficulty of obtaining co-ordination between the various departments of the government, due to the fact that when there is any divergence between, let us say, the army and the navy, only the president can make the final adjustment, and often he is so busy with other matters that he cannot for days or even weeks find time to consider the problem."

"The work of such a man as Mr. Knudsen has been invaluable. There is every reason to believe that Mr. Roosevelt appreciates it. But there is also reason to believe that Mr. Knudsen and men like him could have done even more than they have done if it had been possible for them to turn to some one other than the president for final authorization on the many matters with which they dealt."

The sensible and obvious suggestion is, as the *Herald Tribune* declares, that the president should turn the preparedness task over to a board with a chairman who is empowered to act.

A Place Where Boys Should Not Be

IN A HOSPITAL of a nearby state, a boy has been battling for his life as the result of taking a ride on a freight train.

The lad and several other boys boarded the train at a small town where it had slowed down, for the purpose of taking a short ride. After the train had traveled a mile or so and had begun to gain speed, the boys jumped off.

As he jumped, the boy now in a hospital caught part of his clothing on a stirrup of the car and was thrown beneath the wheels. Both his legs were so badly crushed, cut and mangled that it was necessary to amputate both of them.

That, indeed, is a pitiable occurrence, and sympathy goes out to that misguided lad who, if he recovers, will be an almost helpless cripple the remainder of his life, all his opportunities and his earning capacity reduced to a minimum.

In such deplorable cases there is a lesson for all boys everywhere. Hundreds of such cases have occurred. Let no boy hop on a train at any time. It is exceedingly dangerous always.

Boys have no business hanging around railroad tracks or on railroad tracks. They should not even walk on the tracks to make a short cut and save steps. The longer way around is the safer.

One by one, the oversights of the French come to light. It has now been suggested that they might have sprayed the foe with those widely advertised perfumes, guaranteed to unman the sturdiest male.

An Oregonian found a mushroom with a circumference of more than sixty-two inches. We surely would like to see the steak to go with that one.

A postcard mailed in 1909 in Philadelphia has been delivered, but, as a commentator remarks, they don't consider that fast in Philadelphia.

Monolog of a Man Who Puts His Foot in It

By MARSHALL MASLIN

"Don't tell me I should have known better. I know that as well as you do. I know it as well as anybody on earth. I intended to be a model of politeness and deportment. I intended to keep my tongue in my cheek and my ideas to myself. But did I do that? I did not!"

"I said just the wrong thing. I made my usual mistake. I put my foot in it as usual. I was tongue-tied with the man I wanted to impress, and I talked a blue streak to the man who was trying to get away early."

"That's what I did, and I don't care. I couldn't help it. I never CAN help it. I always put my foot in it every time I try to behave unnaturally. I put my foot in it and I wish my foot were a thousand times bigger than it is."

"I've tried and I've tried and I can't get away with it. You women can. You seem to have a tack for fact. You are able to carry on two conversations at once, using the same words with one meaning on top of another. I don't know how you do it, but you do, and you seem to enjoy it. It's fun for you and your eyes get bright and you're having a wonderful time and you never want to go home."

"But I can't do that. I never COULD, and I'm not going to do it any more. Trouble with me is I say what I think, or when I don't say what I think I forget to say those things I DON'T think, and everybody immediately guesses what I do think—and I get red—and I tell a lie too late—and I get sneered at or laughed at and—there I've gone and put my foot into it again."

"I'm 'impossible' and I know it. I'm not made for that society game. I never WAS any good at it and I never will be. I'd rather go hunting. Or fishing. Or to a football game. Or sit at home and read. I'd rather do anything on earth but go out and sit around and talk and wonder how soon I'm going to say the wrong thing and put my foot into it again. So that's the very last time I do it—for at least a week anyway."



Marshall Maslin

Policy Statement Needs Debating, Gen. Johnson Says

BY HUGH S. JOHNSON

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.—William Allen White, who is chairman of the Committee to Aid Britain, thinks Congress should pass some kind of resolution announcing which side we are on in the present world conflict—not a declaration of war.



Hugh S. Johnson

There isn't much doubt which side we are on in our hearts. Actions speak louder than words. By our actions, as the president has said, we are sending Britain all the aid we can just now—unless we decide to finance her war. Short of a declaration of war such a declaration of sympathy seems necessary and, at first glance, not very important.

Fearful of War Path

On the other hand, many people in this country fear the direction in which we are headed as a path leading straight to war. They are for aid to Britain—with two important qualifications. First that we do not weaken our own defensive preparations, second, that we do not do such things as will make war inevitable.

Mr. White's people may or may not believe in those two qualifications. Certainly they do not stress them. . . . They seem to think that their committee represents a great mass of American opinion. Perhaps it does, but this column doesn't believe it.

May Be Important

In this state of affairs and uncertainty about public opinion and in this fog of misinformation or no information about just what is involved in this question, I doubt if Mr. White's idea about a congressional resolution is as unimportant as it seems. There is yet time and there is not yet any such hysteria as would prevent a full and fairly free debate.

No such atmosphere will attend an actual declaration of war. No declaration is ever submitted to Congress until irritating or inflammatory incidents have whipped up such storms of popular emotion that the voice of caution and reason is branded as the voice of treason. It will be too late then to talk. Every day that passes and every bit of further progress down our present path invite just such inflammatory incidents.

Function of Executive

So far as I can recall, any such resolution would be without precedent. There is even some question, at least, as to whether it would be within the powers of Congress. Only Congress can declare war, but the formation of foreign policy short of war is a function of the executive and not the legislative branch. But precedents do not mean as much as once they did, and on this kind of question, Congress itself is the court of final appeal on its constitutional power.

Congress is closer to the sentiment of this country than any sampling poll or any other branch of government can possibly be. If our present course of conduct and the purposes of Mr. White's people are, in fact, leading unnecessarily toward war, the debate on such a resolution would reveal both that fact and the popular judgment on it.

Congress Should Be Consulted

For all these reasons, while this column doesn't agree with what it thinks Mr. White's committee stands for, it does agree with his recent suggestion that Congress be consulted in the way he describes and that it be done before the philosophy of his committee has carried us so close to war that there can be no turning back with honor or without humiliation.

Mr. White's committee has been described in a good deal of editorial writing as a pilot for administration trial balloons. I don't know whether it is or not, but it is a frank and forthright propagandist for a course considerably more extreme than any the administration has yet taken. That is its perfect

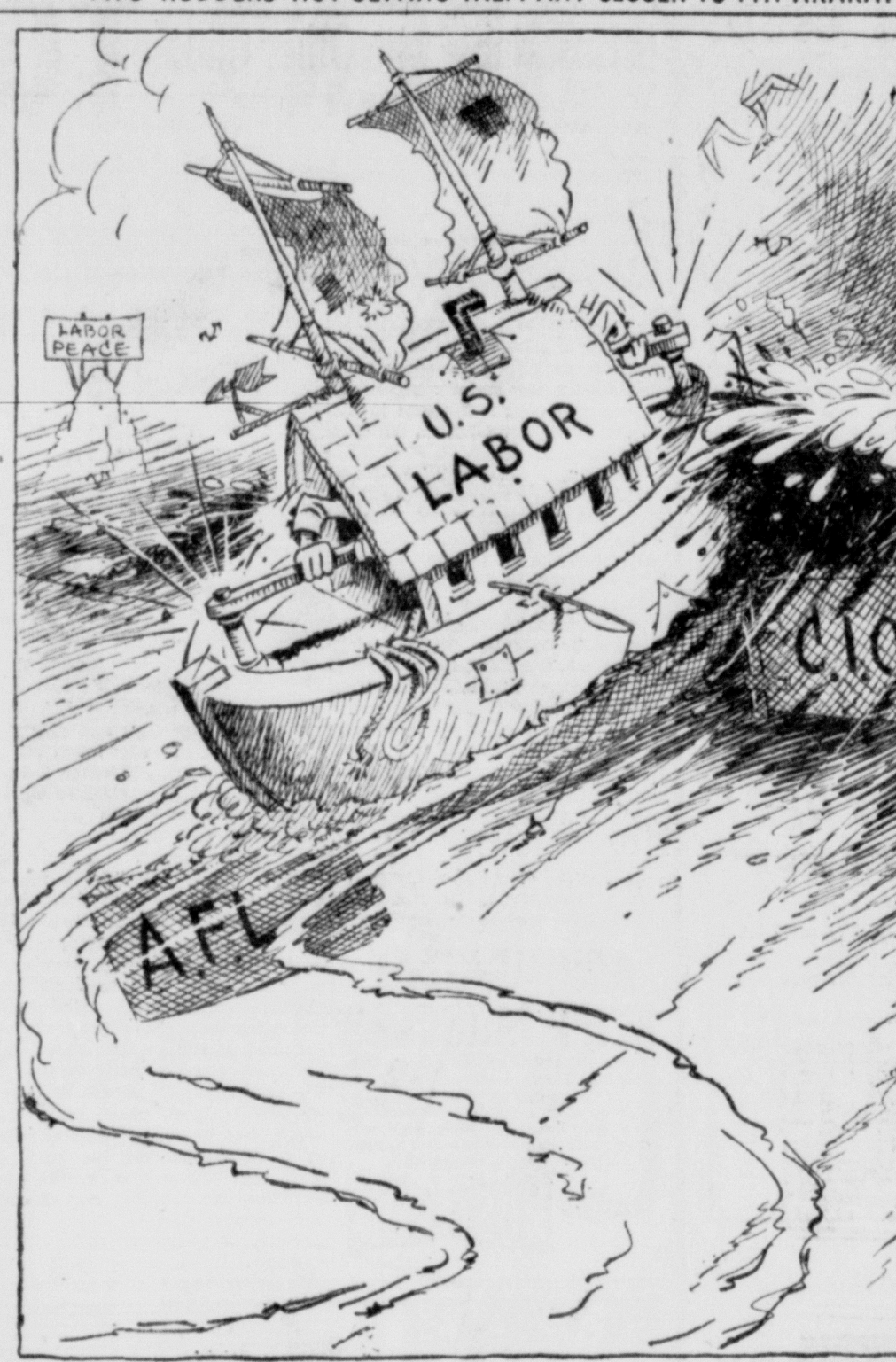
HE WANTS TO SERVE



Rep. Lyle H. Boren

Representative Lyle H. Boren, of Oklahoma, was author of a bill, introduced during debate on the conscription bill, which would have made legislators eligible for military training. His bill defeated, Boren, a Lieut. Commander in the Naval Reserve, will get a month's training in Central and South American waters aboard the battleship *Nebraska*.

TWO RUDDERS NOT GETTING THEM ANY CLOSER TO MT. ARARAT



Theory of Government by Law Puts Senate on the Spot, Sullivan Avers

right and no subject for reproach, but the best way to test any trial balloon—whether of the administration or of that committee—is in some forum where it can be thoroughly debated. And Congress is the best forum there is for that.—Distributed by United Feature Syndicate, Inc.

A Heartening Indication

From the Charleston, W. Va., Daily Mail

One of the more successful espionage and fifth column devices employed by the totalitarian powers is the packing of embassy and consular staffs with large numbers of special aides and "secretaries." In South America, for example, so many of the consular staffs had such large staffs that the authorities investigated and found elaborate systems of espionage and subversive activities emanating directly from those diplomatic posts.

For that reason it is encouraging to note that the Dies committee investigating subversive activities soon will hold hearings on the matter of Italian and German diplomatic corps in the United States. At the same time an indication of greatly improved relations between the Dies committee and the administration was seen in the announcement that Secretary of State Hull had examined the evidence gathered by the committee and told the group to begin its work as soon as it was ready. That quite obviously is a vast change from the former attitude which the administration entertained toward the congressional committee.

Indignant denials, of course, were immediately forthcoming from the diplomatic representatives of the totalitarian countries. The South American lesson, not to mention Europe's experiences, however, makes the need for such an investigation quite clear. Diplomatic posts are especially favorable vantage points from which espionage and subversive activities can be carried on. They are usually immune to search or investigation and through international law and custom have many privileges which can be invaluable if turned to subversive ends.

The fact that the United States too long has tolerated foreign subversive elements and only lately has begun to take steps control them makes it imperative that the government institute every reasonable precaution. The announced Dies committee hearings on consular posts in this country is the first instance of such an investigation. It is a heartening indication that the government at last is fully aware of the need for precautions and is determined to move on all fronts and at once.

Different in Senate

In the Senate, the situation is different. The willingness of the Senate to remain here includes among its reasons the same laudable purpose as the House, to be present in case emergency should arise. But the Senate has legislation to perform. There are before the Senate two measures which the House has passed.

The names of these measures are the Labor act amendments, the Labor act amendments. The bills are here named, only to identify them. Nothing is said at this time about the merits of the two measures. It is not necessary even to explain what the measures are. For the purpose of what is here said, these bills could be called the "X bill" and the "Y bill."

Whether the Senate should vote for these measures, or against them, is not the present question. The present question is solely whether the Senate should take these measures up—take them up, conduct the debate upon them with reasonable expedition, permit no obstruction that has only the purpose of obstruction, amend them if it is deemed desirable to amend them, and finally act upon the measures. What the final action should be does not matter at this stage. What does matter is that the legislative branch of the government of the United States should function. In the light of that necessity, the reasons for the Senate taking up these measures are imperative.

Long Time Pending

Both measures have been in the Senate a long time. Substantially the whole time since this Congress began, in January 1939. Both measures passed the House months ago. The Labor act amendments June 7. Passage by the House was in both cases by large majorities. The Labor act amendments by 282 to 97, the

Wooden doors now are virtually obsolete in American prisons.

The canning industry used over 10 billion containers in 1939.

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By MARK SULLIVAN

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.—At a time when throughout the world parliamentary government is in decline, when in country after country the legislative branch of government has completely disappeared, when even in England parliamentary government is voluntarily restricted, when the tendency toward one-man government and the extinction of legislative bodies is practically worldwide—at such a time it is poignantly desirable that the Congress of the United States should so conduct its work as to preserve its function, insure public respect, and give no cause for diminution of its standing. It is poignantly desirable that Congress should give no faintest justification for any tendency in the United States to turn toward one-man government on the plea that it is more efficient than parliamentary government.



Mark Sullivan

In Congress, the present legislative situation is simple. The House has practically nothing to do. The decision of the House to remain in session was made, very much to its credit, mainly in the spirit of remaining on guard. The House was willing to remain here chiefly in order that it might be available in any emergency that might arise. The House has no legislation pressing; there is no important bill that has been passed by the Senate and awaits House action.

Again, about the Labor act amendments, it is said they are no longer necessary—that since the House passed them, the condition that caused them has ceased to exist. It is said that recent changes in the personnel of the Labor Board assure a conduct of the board's function so improved that amendment of the law is no longer necessary.

To admit that would be to admit a classic perversion. It would deny that principle which says that government must be by laws, not by men. The functions of the Labor board as of every government board or official, should be prescribed by law, not left to the discretion of men, possible to be administered radically by radical men, conservatively by conservative men.

A reduction in hunting accidents, noted this year in Pennsylvania, is credited to education of the hunters through articles in the newspapers. That is the statement of Seth Gordon, executive secretary of the State Game Commission.

Thousands of stories and "don'ts" have been printed in every type of Pennsylvania publication. In a large measure they probably have had some part in reducing the toll of tragedies which spoil the sport. But publicity alone will never bring about a completely safe hunting season. Neither will education. It must be the man with the gun who does that. Until the individual gets in a frame of mind where he concentrates on the dangers of his gun—to himself and others—as strongly

Labor act amendments by 254 to 134. These facts give these two measures a standing which demands that the Senate take them up.

Of one bill, the Walter-Logan measure, it is said that if it is passed, the president will veto it. That would conform completely to the American mechanism of government. If the president vetoes it, Congress can pass it or not pass it over the veto—that again is according to the American system.

But, that the Senate should refrain from action merely because of an anticipated or threatened veto—that would not be according to the American system. That would be precisely the sort of deference by the legislative branch to the executive which amounts to partial abdication of the legislative function, compromise of its status, and tends toward what unhappily has come to pass in other countries.

Consultation Desirable

That there should be, within reasonable limits, consultation between Senate leaders and the president, to the end of arriving at a form of measure which the president would not feel called upon to veto—that, if kept within reasonable bounds, would be according to the American tradition about party government and party leadership. But if the leadership of the party controlling the Senate goes so far in deference to the executive as to amount to supineness, then the Senate leadership would be faithless to its true trust, which is to the legislative branch of the government—at a time when everywhere in the world parliamentary government desperately needs the devotion of all who owe it loyalty.

At noon the hairdresser arrived. The construction of the coiffure took two hours. Every year there would be a different hair-fashion, including bobbed-hair. Lunch lasted an hour and consisted of light dishes like sausages of donkey meat cooked in honey, smoked ham, vinegar, sweet cakes, candied vegetables, stewed fruit and fresh fruit. After a siesta she was carried in her chair to the bath, which was the bridge club and the feminine gossip center of that age. At 4 o'clock she went with her husband to the circus to watch the racing and the gladiators combats, for the circus was the movie of ancient times. And then it was time to dress for dinner and to receive her evening guests.

Modern women may suppose that the women of those days had nothing much to put on for such an occasion except a costume looking something like a bed-sheet. The truth is those simple-looking robes took two hours to get into. No matter how little there is to dress with, or how much, a woman will make the most of happily dawdling over the process. "Eternal feminine" is right!—Copyright, 1940, King Features Syndicate, Inc.

A Decrease That Is Not Enough

From the Connellsville, Pa., Courier

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Tower of London A Tragic Place In Other Years

By EDWIN C. HILL

One of the most famous edifices in the world, the ancient and historic Tower of London, has suffered heavily in these continuous bombing attacks. No one at all familiar with the environs of London could ever forget the grim majesty of the huge fortress, which, in its time, has served as fortress, royal residence and prison.

William the Conqueror, having won England in the year 1066, built the first of the four great towers in 1078, so as to keep the turbulent citizens of London in order.

The great keep on the bank of the Thames fairly shouts of drama and tragedy. So many heads have fallen there—Anne Boleyn, Sir Walter Raleigh, the handsome head of the Earl of Essex. The Earl of Northumberland strolls the haunted passages of the Tower carrying his head under his arm. Anne Boleyn, mother of Queen Elizabeth, has been glimpsed by many Boleyns shaking in their shoes.

Skeletons Found

In the year 1674, workmen repairing a staircase came upon the skeletons of two boys. The finding was reported to the king, Charles Stuart, Charles the Second. King Charles suspected to whom these poor bones had belonged, and directed that they be placed in a urn and given a fitting niche in that vast mausoleum of vanished royalty, Westminster Abbey. The hundred and fifty years later, the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons definitely fixed the identity of the skeletons as those of the boy king, Edward the Fifth, and his brother, the Duke of York, who were murdered in the Tower at the order of the wicked prince who then ascended the blood-stained throne as Richard the Third.

Shakespeare tells the tale most dramatically, and it is all true. The part that makes it so real is the statement of the eminent surgeon that the skulls of both boys had been crushed by the weight of the armor, and that the skulls of both boys had been crushed by the weight of the armor, and that the skulls of both boys had been crushed by the weight of the armor.

Ancient Glamour Girls

Getting away from war to something even more constant and universal, I note that Mr. Jacob Hamer, of New York's Hunter college, writes in the current issue of "The Classical Outlook" that modern women have not attained to the glamour possessed by the ladies of ancient Rome. The Romans' taste in womanhood was clear and sensible enough; they expected her to have a small nose, beautiful legs, a well-developed hand with long, tapering fingers; eyes like flaming torques (oculi flagrantis), a stately and seductive walk, giving a sense of bold power and freedom; a sense of neatness, and particularly a feeling for just the right amount of adornment.

The glamour girl of twenty centuries ago in imperial Rome got up at nine in the morning and had her bath. Soon after ten o'clock the masseuse arrived. By eleven o'clock she was made up for the day—maquillage, pedicured—in full war paint. Tyrian purple dye was the lipstick. Chinese lacquer was the nail polish. Rose-petal powder was used on the neck and shoulders. The eyelashes were polished—even an eyebrow pencil was used—and the line of the eyebrows was drawn with Egyptian pigment.

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Morning Motto

Good manners is the art of making those people easy with whom you converse. Whoever makes the friends persons uneasy is the best bred of the company.—SWIFT.

New Quiz Show Is Booked for Radio By Jimmy Flynn

Offering Will Be on the Blue Network at 9:35 p. m.

By C. E. BUTTERFIELD
Associated Press Radio Editor
NEW YORK, Nov. 26—Ideas for quiz shows haven't been exhausted. There still are new ones cropping up. One of the latest is now available on WJZ-NBC at 9:35 Wednesday nights. It bears the title of "Spin and Win with Jimmy Flynn," Jimmy being the M. C. It smatters somewhat of a "sideshow of the kilocycles," but still has the quiz quiz bases.

Listening for the war and other world developments, the dialist would find them on CBS at 8, 9 a. m.; 6:45, 8:55, 10:45 p. m.; NBC 8 a. m.; 1:45 p. m.; 12 mid.; MBS 10, 11:15, 11:45 a. m.; 2, 10, 10:20 p. m.

The Radio Log

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27

Eastern Standard P. M.—Subtract One Hour for CST., 2 Hours for MT.
(Changes in programs as listed due to last minute network corrections.)

6:45—Life Can Be Beautiful—nbc-west
Tom Mix Program—nbc-wjz-east
Van Dyke Songs—nbc-blue-west
Scattergood Baines Serial—nbc-wabe
Captain Midnight Serial—nbc-chain
6:00—Dancing Music Orch.—nbc-wjz
News: Vocal Program—nbc-wjz-east
Set Sail Serial Series—nbc-blue-west
News: Broadcasting Time—nbc-wabe
News: Dance Orchestra—nbc-chain
6:05—Edwin C. Hill—nbc-wabe-basis
Chicago Musical Comedies—nbc-wjz
6:15—The Reveries: News—nbc-wjz
Bill Stern, Spitz, Min.—nbc-wjz-east
Grease Wicket, Story—nbc-blue-west
Hedda Hopper on Movies—nbc-wabe
Songs of Genevieve Rowe—nbc-Dixie
6:30—Capt. Healy, Stamps—wef-only
Dancing Music Orch.—nbc-red-chain
Dancing Music Orch.—nbc-wjz-east
Bud Barton, Sketch—nbc-blue-west
Paul Sullivan's Comment—nbc-wabe
Songs by Lewny Kohler—nbc-chain
6:45—L. J. Abner's Sketch—nbc-wjz
Lowell Thomas, News—nbc-wjz-east
Tom Mix in repeat—nbc-blue-west
European War Broadcast—nbc-wabe
Capt. Midnight repeat—nbc-midwest
7:00—F. Waring Time—nbc-wjz-east
Easy Aces, Dramatic Serial—nbc-wjz
Amos and Andy, Sketch—nbc-wabe
CBS Concert Orchestra—nbc-wjz
Vinton Lewis, Jr., Talk—nbc-chain
7:15—European War News—nbc-wjz
Jr. Ken, Dramatic Serial—nbc-wjz
Lanny Ross in Song—nbc-wabe-basis
Here's the Morgan Prog.—nbc-wor
7:30—American Cavalcade—nbc-wjz
New Episodes from N. Y.—wiz-only
Dancing Music Orchestra—nbc-blue
Meet Mr. Meek, Comedy—nbc-wabe
Gene Ringer, Drama—nbc-wor-east
7:45—Balter—wgn-kwix-wjro-wjze
9:00—Hollywood Playhouse—nbc-wjz
The Quiz Kids Program—nbc-wjz
Ed. B. Robinson Play—nbc-wabe
Who Are You? Genealogy—nbc-wor
Melody Street—wgn and 4 Stations
9:15—Dance Music Orch.—nbc-chain
9:30—Party at Plantation—nbc-wjz
Manhattan at Midnight—nbc-wjz
Hersholt, Dr. Christian—nbc-wabe
Boake Carter Comment—nbc-basis
9:45—Dance Music Orch.—nbc-wjz
9:50—Elmer Davis, News—nbc-wabe
10:00—Edie Cantor's Show—nbc-wjz
Roy Child's Radio Review—nbc-wjz
Fred Allen's Radio Hour—nbc-wabe
Gabriel Heatter's Talk—wop-basis
9:50—Dancing Music Orch.—nbc-wjz
9:30—Mr. District Attorney—nbc-wjz
News: Fiesta Pan Am'cana—nbc-wjz
Worship and Goats Club—nbc-wor
10:00—Ray Evers's College—nbc-wjz
Olmstead's Story Dramas—nbc-wjz
Olson Miller & Orchestra—nbc-wabe
Raymond G. Sebring, Talk—nbc-wor
10:15—Public Affairs Talks—nbc-wabe
Dancing Music Orchestra—nbc-wjz
Deaf Talk: War in Air—nbc-chain
10:30—The Doctors at Work—nbc-wjz
10:45—Songs: War News—nbc-wabe
Dancing Music Orchestra—nbc-wor
11:00—News & Dance—nbc-wjz-east
Fred Waring's repeat—nbc-red-west
News: Dance Music Orch.—nbc-wjz
Sports, News: Dancing—nbc-wabe
Dance Music Orchestra—nbc-chain
A. Mitchell, Answer Man—nbc-wjz
11:15—Dance Orch. & News—nbc & cbs
Adventures in Rhythm—nbc-chain
11:45—Dance & News to 2—nbc-chain

12:30 a. m.: WJZ-NBC 7:15;
WJZ-NBC 9:30.

Allen Returns

Fred Allen gets back into the 9 o'clock radio news on WABC-CBS with another hour in which his person you didn't expect, but would hope to meet is a beautiful dancing instructor in the person of Ruth Hopkins.

With Dr. Roy Chapman Andrews as narrator, the School of the Air, WABC-CBS-east at 9:15 a. m., and west at 2:30 p. m., will tell the story of Father Carvajal's voyage down the Amazon river with one of the officers of the Pizarro expedition.

In the CBS lecture hall at 3:45 Robert A. Smith, of the New York Times, will talk on "U. S. Policy in the Pacific."

Dumke in Cast

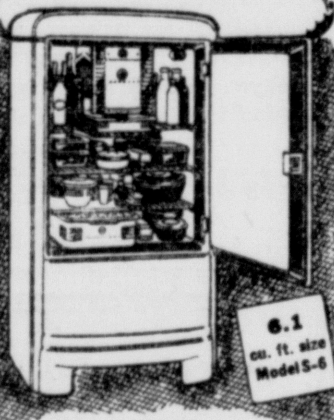
In the cast of the Short Short story's "Jessie Lends a Hand" on WABC-CBS at 11 a. m., will be Ralph Dumke, once a huge half of the no-more Sisters of the Skillet.

A special broadcast, Industry and Defense, has been arranged for WJZ-NBC at 9 in which business leaders are to tell what is being done toward helping Uncle Sam to arm.

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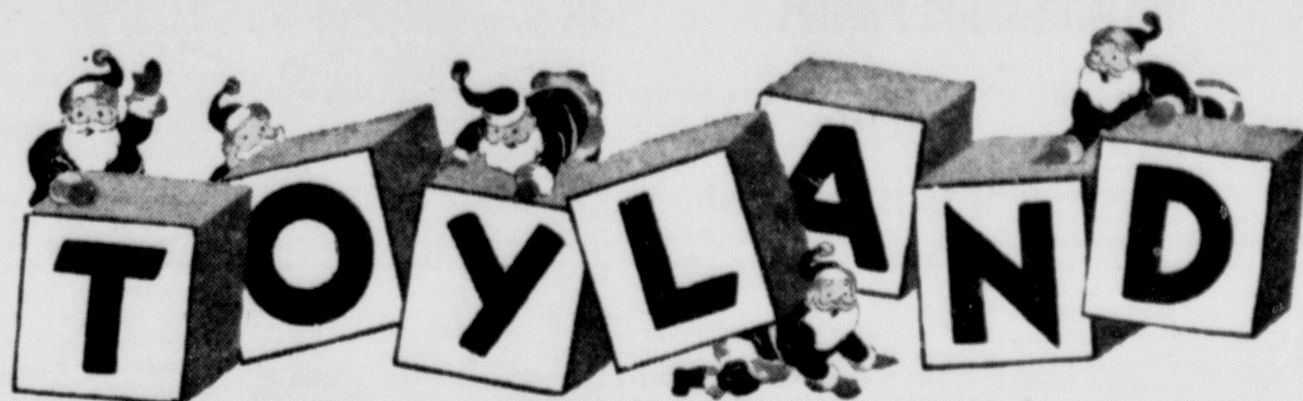
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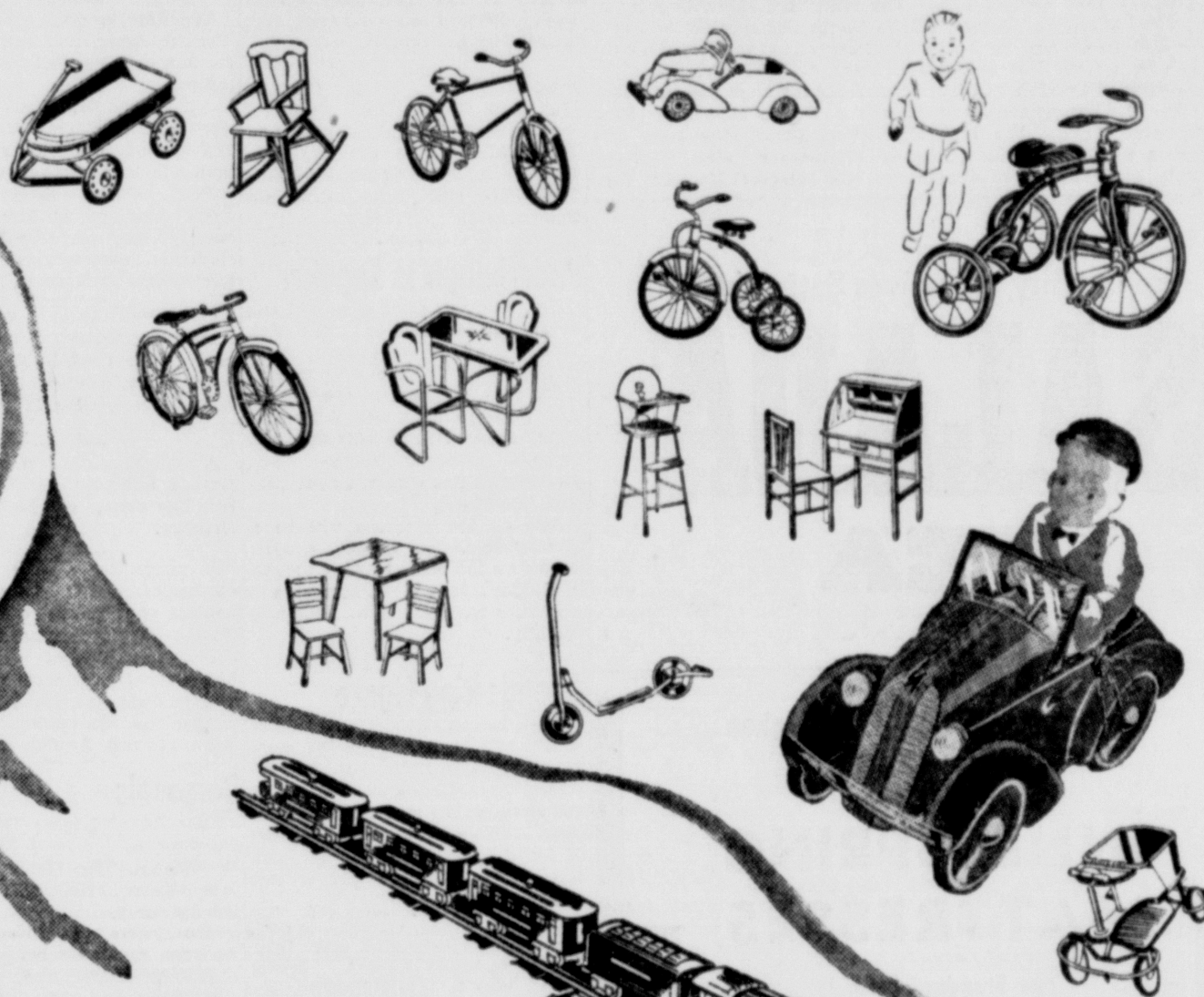
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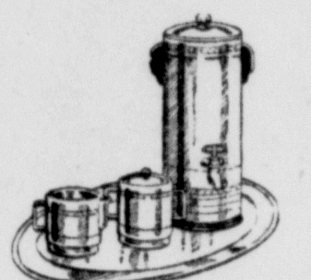


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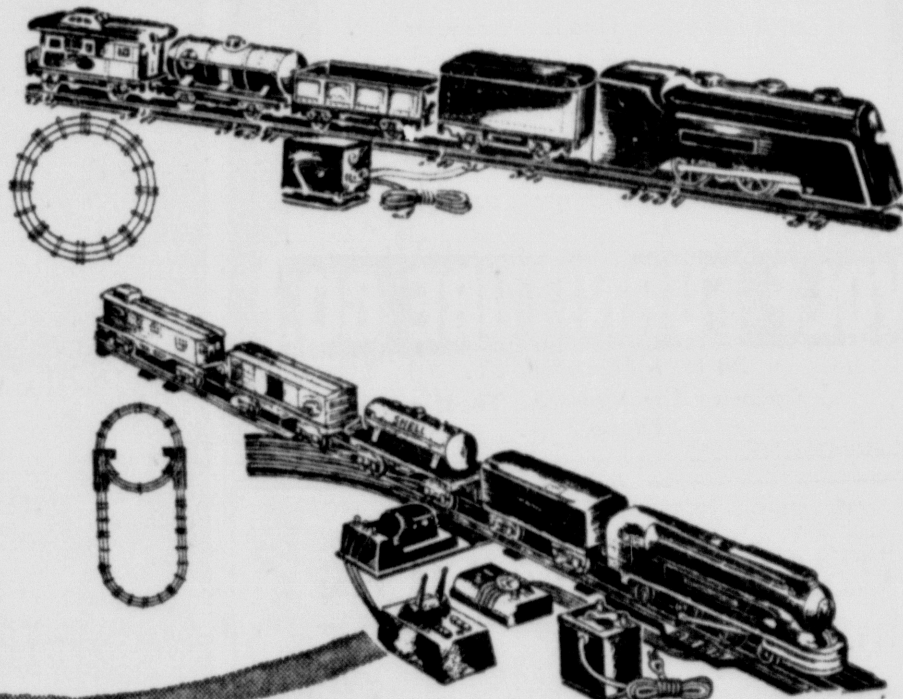
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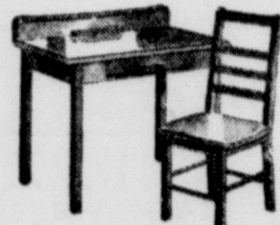
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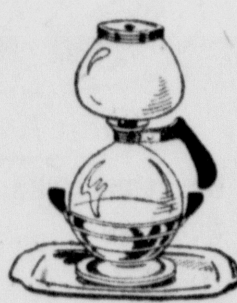


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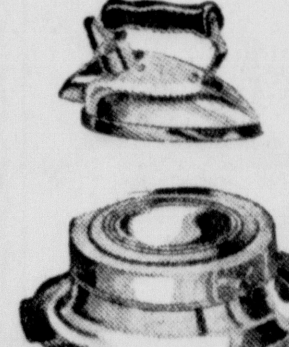


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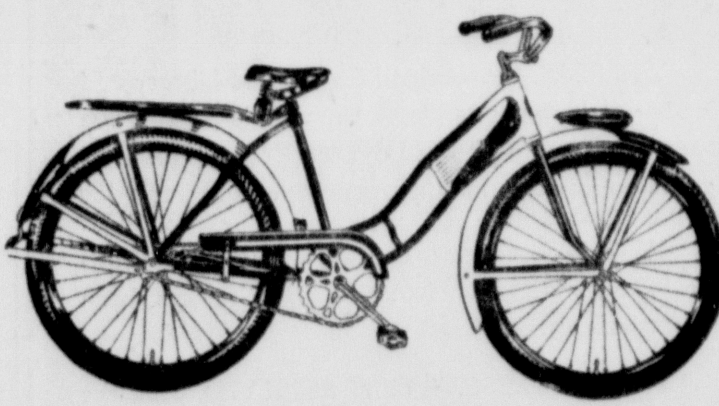
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Social Events and Items of Interest for the Women

Cumberland To Usher in Christmas Season with Dances and Parties

Cumberland will usher in gay social events somewhat ahead of Santa this year with plans already completed for pre-holiday dances and dinner parties, to say nothing of charity events which will make the Christmas season brighter for those less fortunate.

Among pre-holiday dances planned is that of the Maryland Alpha Chapter of Delta Theta Chi sorority which will be given Saturday, December 7 at the Ali Ghan Shrine Country club, Baltimore pike. Peck Mills and his orchestra will play for this affair.

This same sorority will entertain at a dinner at a date probably to precede the dance by a couple of days, but final arrangements for this have not as yet been named.

The auxiliary of the Keating Memorial Day Nursery met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Anna McMullen Russell, 507 Washington street, at which time there was discussion for a Christmas party to be given for the pre-school children of the Nursery.

With a great number of the college age younger set coming home for the Christmas holiday tea dances, small dinner parties and evening parties are being planned.

A Christmas party will be held from 1:30 o'clock until 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon of December 14 for all 4-H Girls of Allegany county in the gymnasium of Fort Hill high school with a program including a play, carols and special musical

arrangements by the girls. Refreshments will be served and Santa Claus will make his appearance.

Winners Announced

Mrs. Wilbur M. Buchanan and Mrs. William A. Douglas were the prize winners at Monday's card party which followed the luncheon at the Cumberland Country Club, Christie road.

Others playing were Mrs. A. Taylor Smith, Mrs. Edward Colladay, Mrs. Walter C. Capper, Mrs. John G. Lynn, Mrs. Thomas LeClear, Mrs. Thomas B. Finnan, Mrs. George G. Young, Mrs. J. E. Bludworth, Mrs. G. Wilbur Seymour and Mrs. Fred Mills.

Mrs. Irving Millenson, The Dingle, entertained her card club at this time at the club.

Mrs. Millenson's guests included Mrs. Ben Kaneus, Mrs. George Kline, Mrs. Victor Salvin, Mrs. Lester Millenson, Mrs. Allan T. Hirsch, Mrs. Irving Rosenbaum and Mrs. Harry Beneman.

Sorority Meets

The Maryland Alpha Chapter of Delta Theta Chi sorority met at 8 o'clock Monday evening at the Central Y.M.C.A.

The following were present: Mrs. Stanley S. Burke, Miss Mary Rice, Miss Helen Heuer, Miss Mary Virginia Shaffer, Miss Elizabeth Parks, Miss Margaret Keeseker, Mrs.

WED ON EVACUEE SHIP



Mrs. J. D. Stevenson

Escorted British evacuee children from England to Sydney, Australia, Miss Beryl Speirs, of Wagga, New South Wales, met a dashing British army officer, Lieut. J. D. Stevenson, aboard the liner and after a two-week shipboard courtship they were married by the captain.

Fred Beall, Mrs. Joseph Clancy, Mrs. Leo Miller, Miss Jeannette Bonig, Miss Mary Apple, Miss Naomi Teter, Miss Eloise Colomy, Miss Virginia Boyle, Miss Margaret Hamersmith and Miss Charlotte Bender.

Puderbaugh Is Speaker

The Woman's Civic Club will entertain at a luncheon at 12:30 o'clock Thursday in the main dining room of the Fort Cumberland hotel, followed by a program in the private dining room on the second floor at which time F. A. Puderbaugh will be the principal speaker. Mr. Puderbaugh has chosen as his subject, "Defense."

Also on the program will be a solo by Mrs. Carl Sander, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Vernon E. Ridgley, Mrs. J. W. Holmes will reminisce on her trip to Annapolis recently.

Attends Ring Figure

Miss Evelyn Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Fred Williams, 750 Washington street, has just returned from Lexington, Va., where she attended the ring figure at Virginia Military Institute as the guest of Lloyd Stallings, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Stallings, 517 Aviret avenue.

The figure was attended by one hundred and fifty girls and their second classmen escorts. Bobby Byrne, who had just finished an engagement playing in New York city, furnished the music.

Alumnae Holds Dinner

A discussion in the manner of an open forum, under the direction of the moderator, the Rev. Francis J. McKeown, followed the dinner meeting Monday evening of the

Alumnae Association of the Girls Central high school in the ball room of the Fort Cumberland hotel.

The discussion was an analysis of honesty and all that it means, the principle it is based on, and what benefits a sense of honor offers.

During the intermission of the meeting, a business meeting was held.

Among the guests were Mrs. William Beier, Mrs. G. J. Everline, Mrs. Walter Fisher, Mrs. William J. Jones, Mrs. Vincent Miller, Mrs. G. Walter Murray, Mrs. John R. Wilkin, Miss Jane Bell, Miss Angela Coleman, Miss Mary Margaret Birmingham, Miss Dorothy Cavannah, Miss Veronica Coleman, Miss Margaret Feaga, Miss Irene Finnan, Miss Mary Finnan, Miss Grace Franciosi, Miss Mary A. Kelly, Miss Rose McDade, Miss Marguerite Mullan, Miss Mary Murray, Miss Mary J. Schellhaus, Miss Catherine Ways, Mrs. John Mattingly, Mrs. Robert Schellhaus, Mrs. William J. Coleman, Mrs. R. M. House, Mrs. Edward F. Mullan and Mrs. Norman Geatz.

Events in Brief

Circle No. 8 of the Woman's Society of Centre Street Methodist church will hold a rummage sale at 7 o'clock Thursday evening in the basement of the church.

The Ridgely high school Parent-Teacher Association will meet this evening at the school instead of tomorrow, the regular meeting date, at which time Dr. Robert Bess, president of the Mineral County Board of Education, who was unable to attend the last meeting, will be the speaker. Other numbers will include readings by Mrs. Amanda Sisk; history play, eighth grade students; demonstration and exhibit, Home Economics girls.

Charlotte Exley, Mary Ann Pitcher and Teddy Cowden were the prize winners when Miss Dorothy Doolittle entertained the members of the Torch Club Friday evening at her home.

A surprise party was held Friday evening honoring Doris Kirk 511 Hill Top drive, on her sixteenth birthday.

In recognition of the long connection of R. P. Reeve as superintendent of the local office of the Eureka-Maryland Assurance Corporation, a banquet was tendered him Saturday evening by officials and employees at the Ali Ghan Shrine club, Baltimore pike. Mrs. Reeve recently retired.

Personals

Miss Ruth Lenore Rosenbaum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Rosenbaum, The Dingle, has returned from Norfolk, Va., where she spent a week.

Miss Ruth Lee Thompson, 208 Saratoga street, has returned to the University of Maryland.

Professor and Mrs. Samuel B. Craig and children have gone to their home in Washington, D. C. after spending the weekend with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Thompson, 208 Saratoga street.

Mrs. Ethel Elosser, Pittsburgh, visited Mrs. H. Ricker, Flintstone. Miss Marilyn Kennedy has returned to her home in Hagerstown.

The 'Inside' on Career Women: Their Offices Surprise



Here's one of the surprise offices of New York career women. It's the inner sanctum of Ellerbe Wood, filled with almost as many knick-knacks as a French curio shop. Sapphire glass, Georgian silver, opaline vases and Dresden China figures fill the glass shelves against pale blue walls.

By ADELAIDE KERR
AP Feature Service Writer
NEW YORK — The office sanctums of some of our successful career women offer big surprises. They're no marvels of modernistic decor or Persian carpeted luxury. The door with the boss' plaque often swings open on a room that's personalized, colorful and feminine. It acts as a mirror reflecting the personality and likes of the executive behind the desk—a mirror that shows her to be a woman as well as a "big shot."

Let's begin with the office of Texas-born Ellerbe Wood, who runs a Manhattan clearing house for fashions. For 14 years she shuttled back and forth across the Atlantic, viewing Paris designers' collections and returning with models to be copied in the American fashion mart. Now she coordinates American designs in a similar way. She's big, brisk and business-like and she breezes through doors. The mirrored showrooms in her Rockefeller Center headquarters is starkly modern in decor with indirect lighting.

Objects d'Art
But look into her private office and you're apt to catch your breath. It has pastel blue walls, set with mirrors and crystal shelves, and filled with colorful "bibelots" from a hundred French curio shops. Sapphire glass, Georgian silver, opaline vases, luster tea sets, porcelain shepherdess figurines and precious wood boxes that play musical chimes are banked around after visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Lillian Talley and aunts, Miss Nell and Miss Phyllis Talley, 81 North Centre street.

Mrs. George Gunter and son, John, have returned from Harrisburg, Pa., where they visited William Gunter, who is recovering from an appendicitis operation. Daniel Wood, 608 Greene street, has returned to Johns Hopkins university, Baltimore.

Kendall Twigg has returned to George Washington university, after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Twigg, 402 Bond street.

Charles E. Glass, Barre, Vt., is home from Toledo, O., after visiting his daughter and sons.

Miss Rebecca Thorne, Pittsburgh, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Robert R. Henderson, Washington street.

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A STATESMAN STEPS OUT

Joseph E. Davies, former ambassador to Belgium and now an assistant secretary of state, is shown with his wife, the former Majorie M. Post-Close-Hutton, one of the country's wealthiest women, as they attended a dinner party at New York's Waldorf-Astoria.

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Government Will Construct Homes For 6,750 Families

Residences Will Be Erected in Eleven Communities of the Nation

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26 (AP)—With a finding that defense housing needs eleven communities would not be met by private capital, President has authorized the Federal Works Administration to proceed at once with the construction of homes for 6,750 families.

The work will be financed out of a total of approximately \$290,000,000 of federal funds available for such projects.

Officials said that private capital would provide additional housing for defense workers in some of the communities but that private development was hindered by fears that employment in defense industries and in army and navy establishments would diminish after a few years.

Charles F. Palmer, the defense housing coordinator, announced the president's finding and also disclosed the appointment of Philip Norton of Los Angeles and Morton Bodfish of Chicago to encourage expansion of private enterprise in the housing field.

Officials said that the homes authorized by President Roosevelt would be multiple dwellings—mostly row houses with fronts varied to relieve the monotony of that type of construction. Most will be occupied by civilian employees of

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treasury and navy for civilian employees of defense industries. Officials said that construction generally would be frame, but that the houses would be built to last as long as the average.

Telegraph Operator Had Too Many Jobs

ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 26 (AP)—Dell Kanar, railroad telegraph op-

erator, had a pretty good thing until he got it working too good.

Besides his job said James Lynch, county attorney, he ran a small loan business, letting out money to fellow workers and collecting interest and principal on paydays.

Then he represented a jewelry firm which supplied railroad watches. That was all right but, said Lynch:

In making a loan, he got to asking the borrower to sign a note, which in reality turned out also to be an order for a watch. With that, he'd get the watch, collect a commission and pawn the timepiece.

The jeweler, under agreement with the railroad, received payment through small periodical salary deductions. This went on, Lynch said, until one employee complained of a deduction and police subsequently found forty-nine watches at the pawn shop.

Kanar's enterprise cost him a sentence in district court today of \$200 or ninety days in jail for violating the state small loan law.

Natural Gas Deposits Nearly Exhausted in Parts of Two States

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26 (AP)—Natural gas deposits discovered ten years ago in the Oriskany sand area of Southeastern New York and North Central Pennsylvania have been virtually exhausted, the Federal Power Commission has been advised.

E. E. Roth, a geologist employed by the Columbia Gas and Electric System, said reserves of the Oriskany fields had declined about ninety-two per cent up to last September. The gas supply in these fields was approaching exhaustion, he said.

Roth was a witness for the Home as Company, of Binghamton, N. Y., a Columbia Gas System affiliate, which has proposed a schedule of increase rates for natural gas sold to the Binghamton Gas Works, the Keystone Gas Company and other customers. Irving K. Peck, president of the

On Wings of Song

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By MARIE BLIZARD

CHAPTER THIRTY-FOUR

"DON'T GO to being Nice Nelly on me, baby. It doesn't impress me in the least to know that you got a lucky break and became a full-fledged star. Because you are a star only in name. You know that. That's why we're working." That was what Vance said to Kit. "I didn't mean that, Vance. Only the Alhambra is—"

"It's a dirty old theater, patronized by the toughest patrons known to the toughest neighborhood in New York. Of course, I know that. But if you get by there you'll prove that you can get by anywhere, I'm pretty sure. If you don't, you'll get insults and jeers and peanut shells and the kind of cheers no lady should know about. How about it?"

Kit considered the proposition with misgivings. She smiled after a while and held out her hand. "Put it there, partner," she invited. "The Reillys never quit any good fight. How soon do you think I'll be good enough to take my exam?"

"Maybe in a couple of months, if your diversified audience take to you."

It was late in September when Vance told her he'd got Mary Moore's name on the list for that night's amateur program at the Alhambra.

"Scared?" he asked on the telephone.

"No," she answered promptly. "I've got over worrying about things that never happen."

"Did you ever?"

"Did I? Remember how I expected the club women to look like New Yorker cartoons? And how sweet they were? And remember how I anticipated rough going at the plumbers' dinner, and the Elks picnic and the smoker? And they all turned out to be grand to me. By the way, the railroad men wrote me up—that is, they wrote up Mary—in their magazine."

"Nice going, Kit. I'll pick you up at eight."

"For the love of Pete," Vance said when he saw her, "where'd you get that outfit?"

Kit giggled and turned slowly for him to take in the details of her form-fitting black satin, the white kid sandals with cheap round toes and spike heels. A bracelet gleamed on her bare ankle and there was another under the wrist of her black lace glove. A small, silly flower-trimmed hat that rode on her frizzed hair was tied beneath her chin. "This is Mary Moore's get-up, Vance," she told him.

Vance grinned his appreciation. "It's perfect! Now hurry up. I've a cab waiting downstairs." And when they had been riding for some time, "You're really enjoying this, aren't you, Kit?"

"Every minute of it, Vance. Hard

work and all. I feel as if I'd just awakened from a long sleep."

"It's usually a fairy prince who wakes the sleeping beauty. Imagine Armendil turning out to be a fairy prince!" Vance slapped his knee with delight at the fantasy, but Kit murmured, "Armendil, indeed!" and her eyes were on Vance's profile and her heart was in them.

She had told Vance that she wasn't afraid to face the crowd at the Alhambra. But when she found herself one of the row of amateurs (she always felt she was one during that time) on the big stage, and saw and heard what happened to the unfortunates who preceded her and who did not meet with the favor of the audience, she was terrified. Out there, facing her, were hundreds of faces that seemed more cruel than fun loving.

The raucous cries, the hoots of derision and the ear-splitting whistling of the gallery mob turned her courage to water. She had intended to sing a popular number that one heard everywhere, but there were three others who sang it before she got a chance. One of them was pretty good, and so Kit abandoned the idea of singing it.

Hastily she went over her numbers in her mind's eye and selected one that was sweeping the country. She knew it well, and had sung it countless times, over the microphone. Nevertheless, when she went up to her place in the spotlight, her heart was pounding against the tightly-drawn satin of her bosom.

The orchestra struck up the opening notes and Kit's professional skill came to her. Easily, huskily and sweetly she sang:

"It seems we've stood and talked like this before . . ."

We looked at each other in the same way then . . .

But I can't remember . . . where or when . . ."

The gallery was almost still.

"Some things that happen for the first time . . . seem to be happening . . . again . . ."

Kit didn't have to sing much more to know that she was going over. She'd been tried in the hardest school and passed on merit. Pride swept her voice up to a triumphant finish of the song.

"And so it seems we wept before . . ."

And laughed before . . ."

Kit cleared the last high note and bowed briefly. Thunder broke around her. Whistles and cheers and stamping feet shook the theater.

She had made good.

She tried to silence their applause.

The voice of the master of ceremonies stilled them, saying, "That's

all we have time for this evening. In just a moment we will give the names of the winners. Our machine which records your applause . . ."

"Pesti!" Vance beckoned to Kit from the wings, urging her to come to him.

Fortunately, her chair was at the end of the row near the wings.

"We've got to scam out of here," he said, piloting her hastily across the backstage to the stage door.

"Why? I'm having fun!" she protested.

"You didn't come for fun. Isn't it enough to know that you made good? It would have been all yours, the money and a genuine chromium cup. You had them easily. But YOU can't take an amateur prize! So you scam, as you should. You've proved something and that's all you came for."

Kit said, "Honestly, Vance? You mean they would have picked me for the best? Even better than Baby Gloria, the five-year-old wonder? Even better than the one-man orchestra?"

"Personally, I preferred the five-year-old wonder, although I usually like 'em a little older; but the house went for you, hook, line and sinker."

Kit threw her arms around his neck. "Oh, darling! This is more exciting than winning the contest. And now, Vance, what next?"

"Let's see. How about a bowl of chop suey, Toots?"

Kit licked her lips and rolled her eyes at him invitingly. "How about Ling Tong's, Big Boy? They got a swell band there, I hear."

"You asked for it," he said, and told the driver to take them to the Chinese restaurant.

Three hours later Vance tumbled the contents of his arms onto the floor outside Kit's door. The contents included a cardboard sombrero, a cotton blanket, a box of popcorn, a clock with no works, two silly-faced dolls. He put Kit's key in the lock.

"Nice haul," she said approvingly, eyeing the lot.

"Nice pile of dough this evening cost me," he grumbled. "It's too bad a girl like you can't get to meet the sugar daddy type. A bargain basement must be limiting to a girl with your talents, Toots."

"Aw, gee, Vance! You wouldn't want to stay in a Chink joint all night when there was a swell bus for Coney Island waiting for us, would you?"

"Gold-digger! I hope you're satisfied."

"I am," she said complacently, returning to her natural voice, "but I wish you'd have let me carry away the chromium cup from the Alhambra. I'd like to have taken it out to Detroit when I go for Fran next week."

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Conscription Act Termed Wasteful By Coloradan

DENVER, Nov. 26 (AP)—Calling the Conscription act "one of the most wasteful and extravagant measures ever enacted by Congress," United States Senator Edwin C. Johnson (D-Colo.) declared tonight that five billion dollars to be spent training draftees for one year would "provide little or no defense."

In a radio address, Senator Johnson said conscription training would be sufficient only to make food

soldiers out of conscriptees and observed:

"You cannot stop a 20-ton tank moving sixty miles an hour with a bayonet, nor bring down a bomber five miles in the air with a Springfield rifle."

"It requires three years of intense application today to learn to pilot a bomber or pursuit ship, five years to become an expert gunner, and many, many years to become a valuable seaman," the senator asserted.

Senator Johnson declared "the cost of our conscript army for one year would build all of the tanks, artillery and weapons needed by a mechanized army of 500,000."

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Vultee Aircraft Strike Settled After Conference

New Contract Will Increase Wages of 5,200 Men \$1,400,000 Annually

DOWNEY, Calif., Nov. 26 (AP)—A twelve-day strike at Vultee Aircraft Corp.—which tied up work on military contracts totaling \$84,000,000—ended today with ratification by striking CIO workers of a new contract which will increase wages of 5,200 employees by \$1,000,000 annually.

Employees will begin returning to work at 7 a. m. tomorrow—under the watchful eyes of Federal Bureau of Investigation agents determined to see that no spies obtain entrance in the guise of workers.

No Mass Reemployment Company officials said there could be no "mass reemployment." One commented:

"It will be a slow process. The men will be subjected to almost as close scrutiny as when they were originally employed."

Under terms of a new sixteen-month contract labor matters will be presented weekly to the management by a five-man union grievance committee. Any disagreement which cannot be settled in this matter will go to an arbitration board, composed of two union, two company representatives and a fifth neutral member.

Ten days of negotiations among company officials, CIO United Automobile Workers union members and government representatives came to an end shortly after noon today when John R. Steelman, chief of the United States Department of Labor's Conciliation Service, emerged from his first conference with the warring groups to announce:

"I am happy that immediate resumption of operations is assured."

Steelman arrived last night after a storm-driven air trip from Washington and reported after a two-hour session that settlement had been reached, subject to ratification by the strikers.

Thomas Given Credit He gave President R. J. Thomas of U. A. W., who also flew here from the east, "chief credit for the settlement" and commented:

"It is unfortunate that he could not be here earlier."

The new contract provides a minimum wage of sixty-two and one-half cents an hour for all present employees, an equal sum for workers hired in the future with a year's mechanical experience and a minimum of fifty-five cents an hour for future unskilled employees. This later amount would scale up to sixty-two and one-half cents at the end of ninety days.

With the return of the men to work, assembly lines will begin moving again with twenty planes left partly finished when the walkout started. Basic trainers for the United States Army were being completed at a rate of three a day. Their cost is a military secret, so the total loss during the twelve-day stoppage cannot be determined.

The 5,200 employees would have received during the twelve days approximately \$564,000 in wages. Of the number, 3,500 are union members. The others were forced out when the company closed the plant shortly after picket lines formed.

ANKENEY AND WEBER WIN VOCATIONAL BEE

Rotarians staged a vocational bee at their weekly luncheon yesterday at the Fort Cumberland hotel, with Franklin H. Ankney and Arthur J. Weber coming out as winners. They tossed a coin and Weber took the prize.

Similar to the old-fashioned spelling bee, the contest was designed by Edward R. Allan and Arthur P. Happe for the purpose of making members better acquainted with the vocations and Rotary nicknames of members. The contestants were comprised of charter members of the club.

Birthday honors were paid to William A. Douglas, Ralph R. Webster and Garland Johnson.

Induction

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Excellent showing the county made in the induction program are as follows:

Board 1—Harold A. Powell, Arthur Weber, Matthew Coffey, clerk; DeLise Chaney.
Board 2—Oliver H. Bruce, Jr., Clyde D. Lucas, Robert Jackson, clerk; P. Emmet Fahey.
Board 3—Franklin H. Ankney, Marshall Wolford, William Morgan, clerk; Alvin E. Yaste.
Board 4—Michael J. Byrnes, John Stewart, Robert Glenn, clerk; E. T. Hill.

Henry P. Ryan

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ity Methodist church for more than half a century.

Surviving are two sons, Cleveland T. and James B. Pyles, of Fort Ashby; five daughters, Mrs. Walter Shank of Willard, Ohio; Mrs. Frank Kunder of Clarksburg, W. Va.; Mrs. Albert Carroll, of Cumberland; Mrs. Henry Ward of Ridgeley, W. Va.; and Mrs. Hilda Wetzel, of Fort Ashby; two brothers, Howard Baker, of Wiley Ford, W. Va., and William Baker, of Pattersons Creek, W. Va.; thirty-one grandchildren, seventeen great-grandchildren and one great-great-granddaughter.

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This will serve as a reminder of that Christmas tree you're going to have to purchase before Christmas eve. Sorted, graded and tied in bundles, these Christmas trees at Shelton, Wash., are ready for shipment by rail and water to all sections of the United States.

Man Pays Second Fine On an Assault Charge

George Schade, of Clement street, was again fined \$5 and costs yesterday in trial magistrates court on an assault charge.

Guy O'Neal, also of South Cumberland, said Schade came to his house, forced the door and attacked him.

On Nov. 16, Schade was fined \$5 and costs on an assault charge preferred by Marie Davis, said to have been his house-keeper. He allegedly struck her when she attempted to get her clothing from the house when she left.

Police said Schade followed her to the O'Neal residence, but he testified he was "drunk and didn't remember anything."

15 Building Permits Issued Here in Month

Fifteen building permits, including four for home construction and three for garages, were issued by the city engineer during the fiscal month which ended yesterday.

The permits were for \$17,065 worth of construction work. The largest items were two \$4,000 dwellings.

Two Births Reported At Memorial Hospital

A son was born yesterday morning at Memorial hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Byron Hammond, 17 Grand avenue.
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hoover, of Spring Gap, Md., announce the birth of a daughter yesterday morning at Memorial hospital.

Westernport Woman Files Divorce Suit Here

Mrs. Ruth Zais, of Westernport, yesterday filed suit for divorce in circuit court against her husband, John R. Zais. Cruelty is charged.
Mrs. Zais has asked for the custody of the couple's two minor children and also for financial support. Julius E. Schindler is her attorney.

Low Jenkins Enlists In American Army

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26 (AP)—Low Jenkins, World's Lightweight Champion, enlisted in the army today as a physical training instructor, becoming the first boxing titleholder to sign up in the defense program.
He expects a commission in the next thirty days, probably as a Second Lieutenant. He hopes to be assigned to a new camp for 60,000 men near Brownwood, Texas, his birthplace.

Jenkins, who has a wife and is from Sweetwater, Texas, and three years ago was a private in the Eighth Cavalry, Fort Bliss, Texas. He said army life would not interfere with his ring career.

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Miss Heipp indicated the matter would be looked into, reiterated her conviction that no welfare worker would be a party to any such activity since such an act would be a flagrant violation of the Hatch Act.

Car Loadings Show Increase over Last Year

The Baltimore and Ohio handled 51,206 cars of freight during the week ended November 23. Of this total 32,780 cars were loaded on line and 18,426 were received from connections. This was an increase of 3,333 handled over the corresponding week of last year when the total was 47,873, consisting of 31,474 cars loaded on line and 16,399 received from connections.

During the previous week of this year, (the week ended November 16), the total number of cars handled was 52,976, comprising 34,375 loaded on line and 18,401 received from connections. For the corresponding period in the year 1939, the total was 55,353, including 36,874 loaded on line and 18,479 received from connections.

Dr. Eric J. Ackley Speaks At Dentists' Meeting

Dr. Eric J. Ackley, of Los Angeles, Calif., conducted a clinic Monday night at the Central Y. M. C. A. at a meeting of the Allegany-Garrett County Dental Society.

Dr. Ackley, originator of an impression technique gave a detailed account of his method of taking upper and lower impressions for artificial dentures, whereby maximum stability can be obtained in the lower as well as the upper denture.

Dr. Ackley's procedure has won the acclaim of dentists from all sections of the county.

Burglars Are Active In Hagerstown

HAGERSTOWN, Md., Nov. 26 (AP)—Fingerprints taken from a blown safe gave police their only clue today in their search for burglars who broke into three places here last night.

Officers expressed belief that the men, who cracked one safe and stole between \$50 and \$100 in cash and some merchandise, were professionals.

A safe was blown open with nitroglycerine at the Maudsland Elevator and Lumber Company and a small amount of cash was taken. A larger amount in a cash box was overlooked.

The burglars also entered the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's office and got a small amount of cash, and entered the office of the Atlantic Refining Company and took cash and merchandise.

Roosevelt To Talk With Marlin Dies

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26 (AP)—President Roosevelt said today he would confer with Chairman Dies (D-Tex.) of the House Committee on Un-American Activities and with Justice and State department officials to determine the sphere of each in combatting subversive activities in this country.

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George Discusses Question of War Loans to Britain

Chairman of Senate Foreign Relations Committee Sees Roosevelt

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26 (AP)—Speaking in his new capacity as chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, Senator George (D-Ga.) expressed the view today that it would be "impractical and somewhat premature" for Congress to act immediately upon legislation permitting war loans to Great Britain.

Shortly before he had made his opinion known to reporters, the senator had called upon President Roosevelt and Secretary of State Hull. After the White House conference he said he was in "general agreement" with the administration's foreign policies.

George was named to the committee chairmanship yesterday to succeed the late Key Pittman, of Nevada.

Financial aid to Britain has been a live topic in Washington since Lord Lothian, the British ambassador, announced upon his return from Britain last week that his country was "beginning to come to the end of her financial resources."

Senator King (D-Utah) has introduced legislation modifying the Johnson act, which forbids loans to nations in default to the United States on their World War debts. George said the Foreign Relations Committee would consider King's resolution tomorrow along with a proposal by Senator Nye (R-ND) for an investigation of British financial holdings in the United States. He indicated, however, that he did not believe final action would be possible on either measure at this session.

In line with Senator Nye's requested investigation, some government officials estimated that Britain was financially able to pay her own way for at least another year. Others thought her assets might last two years or longer.

The question of United States aid to another war-battered country also came up at the State department today when Chinese Ambassador Hu Shih told reporters after he had talked with Secretary Hull that his nation was looking to the United States for further assistance.

Committee To Meet

A meeting of the welfare committee of the West Side Parent-Teacher Association will be held today at 3 o'clock at the school.

Weather in Nearby States

WEST VIRGINIA—Cloudy and slightly colder, occasional show flurries Wednesday; Thursday partly cloudy and moderately cold.

Local Man Is Arrested For Taking a Truck

Dayton W. Reynolds, 400 Maryland avenue, was arrested early yesterday morning on a charge of taking a truck in Keyser, W. Va., and driving it to Cumberland.
Lieut. James E. Van and Officer C. C. Roby seized the truck when they arrested Reynolds, who was later taken back to Keyser by Constable C. W. Davis to stand trial.

Mont Blanc, highest mountain in the Alps first was ascended in 1786.

Cumberland Odd Fellows Visit Hollidaysburg

Five members of Canton No. 4, I. O. O. F., traveled to Hollidaysburg, Pa., Monday night to inspect the uniform rank members of Canton No. 26.

Members who made the trip were Lieut. Col. W. H. Dyche, Capt. William Short, Chevalier J. W. McCoy, all of Cumberland, and A. T. Browning and R. O. Dolly, of Mineral Lodge, No. 126, Flintstone. A social time was held following the inspection by the representatives from the Cumberland lodge.

County Men Will Confer With Planning Group

Five Allegany county officials left for Annapolis last night to attend a conference this morning in regard to the State Planning Commission's proposal to abolish county alms houses in favor of two centralized, state-owned institutions.

County officials who will confer with members of the planning commission this morning are Commissioners Simeon W. Green and James Holmes, Walter C. Capper, attorney to the board of commissioners, James G. Stevenson, clerk to the board, and Walter A. Johnston, county auditor.

Rizer To Talk on Airport At Lions' Luncheon

Ralph L. Rizer, city engineer, will talk on plans of the proposed airport for Cumberland at the regular weekly luncheon of the Lions' club today at 12:15 p. m., at the Central Y.M.C.A.

The annual Ladies' Night program of the club will be held Tuesday, December 3, at 7 p. m., at the All Ghin Shrine club.

Swing Band Features Allegany High Assembly

A feature of the Allegany high school assembly for grades 10, 11, and 12, yesterday morning, was the swing band the "Blue and White," which played "Johnson Rag," "Jeanie with the Light Brown Hair" and "Ferry Serenade."

The regular high school band played "The Snow Carnival," a medley of "Jingle Bells" and the "Skating Song."

Mr. Platt's advanced music classes presented Noble Cain's arrangements of "Flow Gently Sweet Afton" and "All Through the Night."

Clarence Doolittle led the Flag Salute and Doris Wagner gave the Scripture reading.

Two Hurt while at Work On New Building Here

Two employees of the George F. Hazelwood Company were injured yesterday morning while working on the Montgomery-Ward building at George and Baltimore streets.

James Grace, 30, of Ridgeley, W. Va., suffered a right foot injury when he stepped on a nail.

Fifteen minutes later, Howard Kirtley, 33, of 612 Maryland avenue, injured a finger on his left hand when it was caught between a ladder he was climbing and a piece of lumber.

Both were treated at Memorial hospital and released.

Murray Wins Promotion With Chemical Company

Edward J. Murray, of Mt. Savage, has been appointed district manager of the Industrial Chemical Company with headquarters in Atlanta, Ga.

it was announced last evening. He will be in charge of distribution and sales in Georgia, North and South Carolina and Florida.

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Science Is Gaining In War against Tuberculosis

Disease Has Been a Plague Bug for the Human Race for Ages

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.

Dr. Lewis J. Moorman of Oklahoma City, wrote last year a very clever little article called "A Bug Full of Tricks." He was referring to the germ of tuberculosis and it has, indeed, been a plague bug for the human race and one which we have spent some of our best efforts in trying to subdue.

It has probably been an unwelcome and uninvited guest in man's body since the very earliest times. We know from examination of Egyptian mummies that 6,000 years ago on the banks of the Nile it produced its ravages. It certainly caused tuberculosis of the spine and hip, which we can see in mummies, and

while there are no lungs left in these remains we must assume there was tuberculosis of the lungs then also.

Survive Unfavorable Conditions.
It is a microscopic bit of protein and sugar, covered with a skin of wax and this wax apparently has been its means of protection to allow it to survive under unfavorable conditions through long centuries. It is possible to culture tubercle bacilli and have them live when picked up from the bodies of these same Egyptian mummies. They withstand cold and rain and heat—at least climatic heat. (And it takes a good deal of surgical sterilization heat to kill them.)

The Bible refers to its ravages in Deuteronomy—"The Lord shall smite thee with a consumption and with a fever and with an inflammation."
Some time ago a famous physician said that there were so many unsolved problems in the field of tuberculosis that "no matter what we take away from infamy, infinity remains."

Germ Was Isolated.
About fifty years ago the germ itself was isolated and stained and cultured by Robert Koch and Paul Ehrlich. The use of the stethoscope to detect cases early—and the even more valuable use of the X-ray, discovered in 1895, have given us the means to detect the presence of tuberculosis in those who do not know they have it, and to keep them from infecting other people.

More productive than anything else has been the organized work directed by the National Tuberculosis Association in bringing all these methods to focus on the community problem of tuberculosis. We have long ago learned that people will not come in to hospitals or doctors for tuberculosis until it is too late to do them much good. We have to go out and find them and we have to provide places to treat them after they are found.

This is all part of the work of the National Tuberculosis Association, for the funds of which they depend upon the sale of Christmas seals. Anybody, no matter what his financial status, can buy some of these seals and use them on letters during the Christmas season. He may have the satisfaction of knowing when he does this that he is helping in his own way to circumvent the sly ways of the "bug full of tricks."

Questions and Answers.
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THE GENERAL

He Spoke to Nobody and Seemed Afraid of Everyone Until the Past Caught Up with Him and Made Him Talk

By K. O'REILLY

Last summer I was taking special courses in art at the university, so I stayed in town. I went to live in one of those high-front homes on King street, that have lately been converted into rooming houses. It was a comfortable place, big windows, pleasant rooms, fine woodwork, although architecturally, it was like living in the past.

His clothes were of the formal daytime type, and they were so shiny you felt almost sorry for him. All the while you were envying him their wonderful cut. The other fellows couldn't figure him out either, but when I'd been there about a



I helped him to his door fellows on my floor. In the room opposite mine there was a small, gray, thin-featured man of around 60, who was so reserved and dignified that none of us could get to know him. When you'd meet him on the stairs he'd step aside and tip his hat with a frosty politeness that kept you at a distance. If you asked him for a match, he'd walk past you as if you weren't there. He certainly didn't believe in being a good neighbor.

week we began to call him the General, because of the precise, dignified way he walked.

"Here comes the General," Sid, who lived in the room to my right, would say to me, following this episode. "Let's ask him what's in that precious package of his."

"You ask him. You're the one with the nerve," I'd reply, and he'd approach the General. But the icy reserve of the little chap would get Sid, and he'd wind up wishing him a timid good evening.

The package referred to was a cardboard box which the General carried with him whenever he went out. I guess he was afraid it would be stolen during his absence, which was practically an insult to our honesty.

Speculations on the General's background continued. It became a kind of game to try to find out who he was, and it was understood that whoever engaged him in conversation would rate a carton of cigarettes. He had no callers, and no one phoned him. He seemed to dislike the human race.

In the evening if we were home, with our doors open, talking across the hall to one another, he'd go out for a walk. Once I followed, fell into step, and suggested that he join me for a beer. But he stopped dead, looked up with panic, "Sorry," he said, in a loud, harsh voice, and clutching his box with one hand, he lifted his hat and walked the other way. Well, what could you do with a man like that? Sid was watching the attempted conversation from the window and he razed me later on.

The summer went on, and so did the General. Right on, past us all, with no change in his frightful dignity. Our chances of learning what was in his box were negligible. That is, until one blazing August night, coming up the stairs behind him, I noticed that he was very tired. He paused once or twice, to get his breath dragging the box.

Suddenly his package slipped from his grasp, and I caught it. A second later I had to catch the General. He had gone horribly pale and seemed about to faint. I helped him to his door; where he handed me the key, surprisingly, and when it was unlocked I carried the poor, little man over to the bed. After bringing him some water and making certain he was all right, I told him I'd go, but he beckoned me nearer. He lay there gazing at me piercingly and I must have passed his scrutiny for he said, "Please wait and open my box," in that

loud, foreign voice of his. Well! Here I was, talking to the General at last and about to open his mysterious box, at his own request!

I don't know what I expected to find inside, but what was there was a violin, and with it were dozens of newspaper clippings. I picked up a few. They were in Polish, and I couldn't read them, but they pictured a smiling man, violin in hand, safe and secure in his talent. Was this the General? Looking up, I saw him watching me. He nodded.

It was then that I heard his story, in that quiet room, thanking Heaven that it was Saturday and the other fellows were out.

The General was a native of Poland. A concert violinist, he had been giving performances in Warsaw when that city was bombed in September, 1939. Wounded, he was sent to a Swiss hospital by his friends, and as he recovered he found that his hearing was impaired. When Poland fell, he came to America. Here he was then, in this great American city, fearful and distrustful of people, since the bombing, with his shyness that was partly due to the terrible burden of his growing deafness, to the strangeness of the new land and language. Shame went over me for the casual way I'd judged him without knowing anything about him.

He read the thoughts on my face.

and smiled for the first time. He must have seen us poking fun at him in the past, though he had pretended not to. "You are very young," he said, as though that would excuse me.

When I didn't speak, he added slowly as if asking me to understand. "I take my violin to the lake every morning and play for the birds. They seem so happy. And their happiness makes me forget the awful pain that is here." He pointed to his heart, turned and left me.

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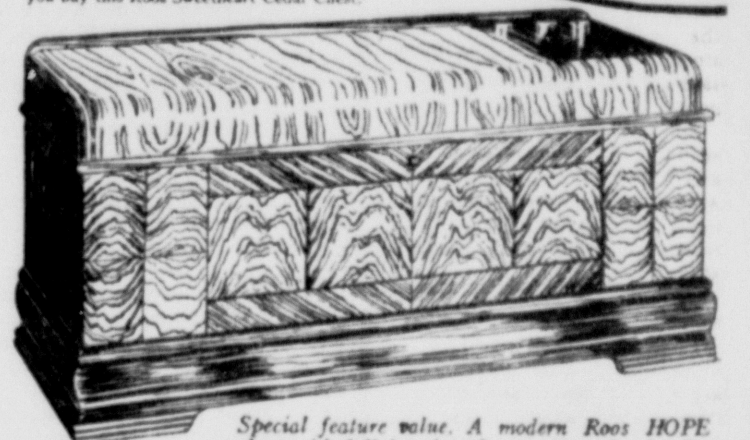
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Cut Green Beans	12 No. 2 cans 69c	4 for 25c
Mixed Vegetables	12 No. 2 cans 69c	4 for 25c
Quality Spinach	12 No. 2 cans 79c	3 for 22c
Crushed Sugar Corn	12 No. 2 cans 79c	3 for 22c
Early June Peas	12 No. 2 cans 79c	3 for 22c
Campbell's Tomato Soup	12 10-1/2-oz. cans 79c	3 for 22c
Whole Grain Sugar Corn	12 No. 2 cans 85c	3 for 23c
Tomato Juice	12 cans 33c	Can 3c
Sauer Kraut Silver Floss	12 No. 2 1/2 cans 73c	4 for 25c
Cut Green Beans	12 No. 2 1/2 cans 99c	3 for 28c
Whole Grain Golden Banaim Corn	12 No. 2 cans 99c	3 for 28c
Fancy Pink Salmon	12 tall cans 1.59	2 for 27c
Yellow Peaches	12 No. 2 1/2 cans 1.33	2 for 23c

Pork Loin ROAST	3 to 4 lb. Rib Ends, lb. 13c
LARGE PENNA. POTATOES	100 lb. Bags 85c

Fresh Pork Sausage	2 lb. 25c
Center Cut Pork Chops	1 lb. 19c
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Juicy Florida Oranges	2 dozen 23c
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Clashing Tempers Bode Unhappiness In Marriage Tie

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX, Famous Authority on Problems of Love and Marriage — Distributed by King Features Syndicate, Inc.

The morning's mail brings a letter from a young man, who signs himself "Peter" and who writes to tell me some of his troubles. Engaged to a girl of 21, he is 23 and very much in love. He wonders if love can thrive when tastes are opposite, which is true in his case.

The boy, who is sensitive, works in a noisy office where typewriters clatter and telephones ring all day long. He likes to have peace and quiet when he comes home evenings. The girl, who works in a department store, is ready for movies, a dance, or a party—any place at all where the din rages, as her fiancé writes.

Goes at Top Speed

He tells me he greatly desires this girl's companionship, but she wants to be going at top speed all the time. You'd think her job in a department store would supply her with all the stimulants that crowds, noise and confusion can give. But when she comes home after working all day, she's ready for more, and gets bored if the evening is spent at home.

Her mother tells him she has a hard time getting the girl up in the morning, and that her daughter fairly dances into her clothes, then hums and sings while waiting for breakfast. This liveliness, it seems, makes her very popular with both boys and girls in her set.

The young lady thinks she's in love with the boy to whom she's engaged, but she has a questionable way of showing it, when she asks for all sorts of expensive gifts which she knows her fiancé cannot afford. Right now he's paying for her diamond ring, and very often

Common Sense About Constipation

A doctor would tell you that the best thing to do with constipation is get at its cause. That way you don't have to endure it first and try to "cure" it afterward—you can avoid having it.

Chances are you won't have to look far for the cause if you eat the super-refined foods most people do. Most likely you don't get enough "bulk." And "bulk" doesn't mean a lot of food. It means a kind of food that isn't consumed in the body, but leaves a soft "bulky" mass in the intestines.

If this is what you lack, try crisp crunchy Kellogg's All-Bran for breakfast. It contains just the "bulk" you need.

Eat All-Bran often, drink plenty of water, and "Join the Regulars." Made by Kellogg's in Battle Creek. If your condition is chronic, it is wise to consult a physician.

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USE HIS WEAKNESS

ONE OF your side's assets consists of the weaknesses of your opponents. If you have them sized up dependably, you can get away with many things which otherwise would not be possible. Such a characteristic as a preference for short suit leads against No Trump by one opponent can enable you to score occasional games not truly in the cards.

♠ 10 8 5
♥ 10
♦ A K 10 6 3
♣ 8 6 3 2

♠ J 9 3
♥ Q 9 6 5 2
♦ 9 5
♣ 10 7 4

♠ Q 6 4 2
♥ A K 7
♦ 7 4 2
♣ K 9 5

♠ A K 7
♥ J 8 4 3
♦ Q J 8
♣ A Q J

♠ A Q J 6
♥ 10 9 8 3
♦ Q 6 3 2
♣ J

♠ K 9 7 5 2
♥ A K Q 6
♦ None
♣ 9 7 5 4

♠ 10 4 3
♥ J 7 5
♦ J 10 8 5
♣ 8 3 2

♠ 4 2
♥ A K 9 7 4
♦ A K Q 10 6
♣

(Dealer: South. Both sides vulnerable.)

South West North East
1 NT Pass 2 NT Pass
3 NT

The type of bidding being used by North and South really called for North to bid 2-Diamonds over his partner's opening 1-No Trump. But North knew West as a player given to leading his short suit against No Trump contracts, if his hand was not extra strong, in an effort to hit his partner's suit, and also when he had some honor

(Dealer: West. North-South vulnerable.)

Following normal bidding which puts South into 5-Diamonds, if West takes two hearts and South ruffs the third, what should be his very next move?

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MAIN FLOOR

\$2,550 Verdict Returned by Jury At Petersburg

Baltimore Defendants
Lose by Default in Mo-
tor Vehicle Case

PETERSBURG, W. Va., Nov. 26.—A verdict of \$2,550 was returned here today by a Circuit court jury against two Baltimore defendants by default.

The damages were awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Galtbraith, of Marietta, Ohio, who James and Marshall Russell, Baltimore, failed to appear.

The suit grew out of a crash on U. S. Route 50 at Mt. Storm September 3, 1939. The Galtbraith car was badly damaged and Mrs. Galtbraith was seriously injured in a collision with a car driven by James Russell.

Attorneys for the plaintiffs were H. G. Munzing and Paul J. Hartman, of Moorefield.

D. W. Hinkle Rites

Funeral services were conducted yesterday afternoon for Daniel Webster Hinkle, Rough Run, at the Hedrick's chapel church by the Rev. J. E. Oliver and Miss Ida M. Judy, Petersburg. Burial was in the family cemetery.

Mr. Hinkle was a descendant of the Rev. Jacob Anthony Hinkle, who came from Germany to America as a Lutheran missionary.

Those from a distance attending the funeral were Herbert Alexander, Martinsburg, W. Va., president of the Hinkle reunion; Fred E. Hinkle, Gettysburg, Pa.; and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hinkle, Moorefield.

Petersburg Personals

Mrs. Jennie Swisher, Cumberland, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Oates.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith and son moved today from the cottage of Mrs. Myrtle K. Park on North Main to the old Ours property on Water street.

Miss Mary Davis and Ralph Miller, of the local FSA office, are in Raleigh, N. C., attending a special training course in the farm security program. Mrs. Ralph Miller is spending this time with relatives at Breckton Mills.

Mrs. Mary E. Good, Winchester, Va., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. E. J. Oates.

Horace Mitchell returned to Wellsburg after visiting friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Malcom Lyons, Williamsport, have purchased from Albert Hull and P. H. Hood their general store at Lahmansville.

Mrs. O. R. Oates is a patient in the hospital at Harrisonburg, Va. Lorraine Kessel, Gettysburg, Pa., is visiting her brother, Earl Kessel. Victor Rexrode is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Rexrode, Mayville.

Miss Julia Miller has returned to Davis and Elkins college, Elkins, after visiting her mother, Mrs. E. V. Miller.

Thoburn Cassidy, Roy Harman, Frederick Roby and John Roby returned yesterday to Morgantown, where they are attending West Virginia university.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Boor are visiting in Keyser.

General Almazan Will Be Kept under Strict Surveillance in Mexico

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 26 (AP)—Secret police sources announced that Gen. Juan Almazan, defeated for the presidency by Gen. Manuel Avila Camacho, would be kept under strict surveillance pending clarification of Almazan's announced "peace" mission.

Although Almazan was expected to arrive here tomorrow, it was reported that he had not crossed the border since he left Baltimore Nov. 22 enroute to Mexico. His brother in Baltimore, Dr. Leonidas Almazan, said the general "believes it is his duty to avoid any struggle between the Mexican people," despite previous assertions that Almazan intended to assume the presidency Dec. 1 in opposition to Avila Camacho.

The government officially has not taken any advantage precautions, and Almazan's followers said there would be no welcoming demonstrations for the general. Political circles disagreed as to whether General Almazan was returning with peaceful intent or to "provoke an uprising."

STUDIES "OKIES"



Representative John H. Tolson, of California, tells reporters in Washington about his committee's investigation of interstate migration problems. A number of migrant workers are scheduled to testify at the House hearing.

Mrs. M. C. Albright Is Taken by Death

Hyndman Woman Succumbs at Cumberland Hospital at Age of 34

HYNDMAN, Pa., Nov. 26.—Mrs. Lucretia Albright, wife of Melvin C. Albright, died last night at Memorial hospital, Cumberland, where she had been a patient for about a week. She was 34.

Mrs. Albright was born here March 16, 1906, a daughter of George Miller and the late Emma Holter Miller. She was a member of the Brethren church.

Surviving, besides her husband and father, are two children, Grace and Melvin Jr., at home; three brothers, William, Richard and Russell Miller, Hyndman; and four sisters, Miss Mary Miller, Mrs. Lloyd Shaffer and Mrs. Grace Kreyer, Hyndman, and Mrs. Charles Reckley, Cumberland.

Hyndman Briefs

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Volunteer Fire Company held its bi-weekly meeting last night at the borough hall.

Two new members were received. At the close of the business period, a pie supper was enjoyed.

The next meeting will be held December 9 at the Junior Order hall, which will henceforth be used for all gatherings of the Auxiliary. A covered dish dinner is being planned.

David Mason has leased the Sherman property at the southern terminus of Locust street, and he and his family are planning to move into it early in December. They have been making their home in Neffville.

Hyndman Personals

Mrs. J. W. Fleming returned to her home in Baltimore yesterday after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Shaffer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Crabbe were called to Baltimore yesterday by the death of the latter's nephew, Henry Deubner. The lad was one of twins, eight years of age.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wagner and son, Ralph Jr., and daughter, Thelma, and Earl Ewing, Williamsburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. Michael Shaffer Sunday.

Mrs. Raymond Chinn, Washington, D. C., spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Himes.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Miller left Tuesday for Sarasota, Fla., where they will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunlap, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pluck, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Specht and daughter, Georgia Ann, all of Somerset, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Noel.

Mr. and Mrs. Kroil and daughter, Sylvia, on son, Vernon, were weekend-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bruner.

Jack Shearer, a school teacher at Warrior's Mark, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Della Shearer.

Shannon Evans, proprietor of the Commercial hotel, is confined to his bed with two cracked ribs on his right side, resulting from a recent accident.

Laws and institutions are constantly tending to gravitate. Like clocks, they must be occasionally cleaned, and wound up, and set to true time.

Questionnaires Go Farm Women Elect To 100 Draftees In Hampshire Co.

Fifty Already Returned
and Classified; Twelve
Men Volunteer

ROMNEY, W. Va., Nov. 26.—The Hampshire county draft board has sent questionnaires to registrants with order numbers ranging from one to one hundred. Fifty of these registrants have returned their questionnaires, and the board has classified them.

In this county to date there have been twelve volunteers. E. P. Staub Jr. was the first volunteer and last week entered the service. Eight have been notified to report to Dr. R. W. Dailey tomorrow for physical examination.

They are Russell Elwood Lewis, Three Churches; Marvin William Brill, Yellow Springs; Albert Clarence Scanlon, South Branch; Willie Blair Grant, Clarence Edward Day and Marshall Marcellus Brown, Romney; William Theodore Martin and Ralph A. Palmer, Points. The remaining three are pending for proper classification—Edwin Martin Leasure, Junction; Orville Samuel Hoke, Hoy; and Edward Thomas Topper, Points.

At the last meeting of the board, fifteen of the fifty questionnaires which had been returned were put in Class I, those eligible for service, pending physical examination. Twenty-six were put in the deferred classes, and seven were filed for further investigation and later classification.

Romney Briefs

I. B. Boggs, state 4-H club leader, and C. P. Doney, district agent, both of Morgantown, will be in the county tomorrow, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Wednesday night, they will conduct a 4-H club officers training course at Augusta school house and a similar meeting at Romney in the court house Thursday night. Saturday afternoon they will be in charge of a 4-H leaders conference in the Romney court house.

R. E. Stewart, clerk of the county court, Assessor A. P. Peters and Deputies E. P. Saville and George W. Spicer attended a meeting of county commissioners and assessors in Charleston Monday and today.

Concrete Swimming Pool Is Moved By Flood Waters

HOUSTON, Tex., Nov. 26 (AP)—An overabundant water supply just about cost Ray Pogue his swimming pool. He discovered his concrete pool, fifty feet long, twenty-two feet wide and fourteen feet deep floating down after a six-inch rain.

Creek Ladies' League

STANDING OF CLUBS

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Midland	12	2	.86
Lonaconing	12	2	.86
Cresaptown	6	12	.33
Devon Club	5	13	.27

Midland flashed into first place in the Georges Creek Ladies League by defeating Cresaptown 2-1 on the Silver Lanes at Cresaptown while Lonaconing, the former pacesetter, was dropping a pair to the Devon Club at Lake. High set of 423 was rolled by Duckworth of Lonaconing. The scores:

LONAICONING			
Gross	129	92	304
Bradburn	118	123	304
W. R. Hump	85	87	245
Duckworth	111	169	423
McKenzie	114	110	313
Totals	515	615	1645

DEVON CLUB			
O. Alvarez	109	127	336
E. Roper	120	123	313
B. Myers	140	90	321
V. Walsh	123	149	423
Totals	599	518	1730

East Side League

STANDING OF CLUBS

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Shipping	12	9	.571
Warehouse	12	9	.571
Research	10	11	.476
Main Lab	8	13	.385

Warehouse pinner climbed into a first place tie with Shipping in Celanese East Side League pip-popping at the Club by scoring a 3-0 victory over Main Lab, while Shipping was dropping one of three games to Research.

"Boots" Sapp punched out a new set record of 520, breaking the former mark of 481 held by Wilson and Bennett, with scores of 173-189-148 for Shipping. The scores:

WAREHOUSE			
Offutt	114	139	343
Leahy	124	194	403
Dudley	153	142	335
Beal	144	130	304
Carter	142	124	304
Totals	538	609	1726

Shipping

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Mease	137	21	.86
Pandford	115	142	.448
Kent	112	118	.488
Mattingsly	150	82	.648
Bareis	139	158	.468
Baldier	101	87	.538
Totals	610	609	1810

Sapp

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Hockman	173	189	.526
Lippard	143	138	.508
Kent	129	134	.493
Wilson	127	120	.515
Blind	100	100	.500
Totals	668	641	1942

Research

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Abramson	111	112	.495
Exackles	148	114	.564
O. Hines	158	104	.604
McCort	125	111	.526
W. Denison	111	111	.500
Totals	613	611	1914

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Farm Women Elect Mrs. Paul Munson

Morgan County Bureau
Name New Officers at
Paw Paw Meeting

PAW PAW, W. Va., Nov. 26.—Mrs. Paul Munson has been elected president of the Morgan County Farm Women's Bureau. Other new officers are Mrs. D. C. Fearnow, vice-president, and Mrs. William Hunter, treasurer.

The election of officers was the chief business of an all-day meeting Thursday. Luncheon was served by the ladies of the United Brethren church, and at the afternoon session Miss Margaret Rexrode gave a demonstration on "Reupholstering Furniture."

Holiday Parties Noted

Several parties featured the Thanksgiving program here. Miss Mary Largent entertained Friday night in honor of her guests. Mr. and Mrs. William T. Blakely, Beckley, W. Va. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford L. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Miller Jr. and Mrs. John W. Rockett, Lawrence P. Miller Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert M. Miller, Spring Gap, Md., Mr. and Mrs. Millard E. Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Beeler and Miss Gladys Arnold, Berkeley Springs.

Mrs. R. E. S. Taylor entertained at her home Sunday night. Guests were Agnes Slough, Helen Clem, Mary Ginevan, Mary Largent, Naomi Sibbald, Thomas Larkin, Lloyd Ryan, Patrick Daugherty, George McGilchrist, William H. Norton Jr., J. Hughes, Walter Rung, Mr. and Mrs. R. David Kifer, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Denison and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Vaughn.

Fireman Plan Dance

A semi-formal dance will be sponsored by the Paw Paw Volunteer Fire Department Friday night, December 6, in the high school gymnasium. Dancing will continue from 9 to 1 with music by Marty Flynn and the Society Ramblers, Cumberland.

Paw Paw Personals

Eugenia Gross returned to Hagerstown after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Gross.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Blakely, Beckley, were guests of Mrs. E. M. Largent during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Vaughn, Washington, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Denison.

Floyd Spiggle, Aurora, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Hudson.

Mrs. James Norton spent the week-end in Cumberland.

Morton Santymire has returned to Morgantown after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Santymire.

Mrs. Helen Summers and daughter, Maureen, Cumberland, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Kifer.

J. R. Schill spent the week-end at his home in Martinsburg.

Arnet Swisher spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Harrisonburg, Va., and Keyser.

Mrs. M. Funk and Mr. and Mrs. LaTrobe Funk, Warrenton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Kifer over the week-end.

Miss Eileen King has returned after visiting relatives in Parsons, Mo., and Mrs. Don C. Sharp.

Hagerstown, spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Raighner.

Mr. and Mrs. William McDonald, Cumberland, are visiting Miss Madge Norton.

Mrs. R. E. S. Taylor, Roland and Neil Taylor spent Thanksgiving in Cumberland.

William K. Moreland, spent Sunday in Baltimore.

W. Va. Buys 4,900 Acres For Use as State Forest

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Nov. 26 (AP)—The purchase of 4,900 acres of land in McDowell county for use as a state forest was announced today by the Conservation Commission, which said negotiations are being conducted for an additional tract of 2,900 acres.

The 4,900-acre area was bought from the Griffith Lumber Company, said C. W. Arbogast, commission secretary. The McDowell County Chamber of Commerce is conducting negotiations for the other acreage.

Arbogast said a large portion of the forest would be used as a game preserve, and other sections would be used for building cabins, picnic grounds and recreation areas.

Assessors To Hold Regional Meetings

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Nov. 26 (AP)—West Virginia assessors approved unanimously today a tax department proposal that they hold regional meetings several times a year to promote uniformity in assessments and permit discussion of local problems.

The first meetings in ten regions will be held in December, said Howard J. Gibson, supervisor of the assessments and levies division of the tax department.

Gibson said the sessions will be called by the tax commissioner and will supplement rather than replace the annual statutory meeting for all assessors. Gibson is to attend each of the December meetings.

Plans Complete

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board, left the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad station at 11:09 a. m. They volunteered to go with the first group sent from this section.

The Hospital Bridge Club will meet tomorrow (Wednesday) afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Daniel Pelletier, 35 Frost avenue.

Frostburg firemen were summoned at about 5 p. m. to the home of Thomas Lloyd, Spring street, to extinguish a fire.

Sheriff Mourns Loss Of 'Hunting Preserve'

MIDDLEBOURNE, W. Va., Nov. 26 (AP)—Sheriff Charles D. Eastman's private hunting preserve, in which he customarily shot rabbits as he sat comfortably on a stump, is destroyed—and it's the sheriff's fault. Broomsedge grew up around a haystack in which the rabbits gambled. Eastman said today, so he fired the broomsedge. There was just one drawback—the haystack also burned.

News of Interest

From Fort Ashby

FORT ASHBY, W. Va., Nov. 26.—The Rev. Charles W. Ambrose will hold services Sunday at Wesley Chapel, Short Gap, at 10 a. m.; St. Paul's, Patterson Creek, 11 a. m.; and Trinity, 7:30 p. m.

Fort Ashby Briefs

At the Thanksgiving service Thursday night at Trinity church, a special offering was taken to liquidate the church debt of \$374. The offering amounted to \$326. The three largest amounts were given by the Sunday school, \$63.50; volunteer firemen, \$50; and the Women's Society of Christian Service, \$61.

William Clark, McCool, Md., was arrested by Game Warden Joseph Hughes and Walter Ansel for hunting without license. He was fined \$25 and \$3 costs by Justice C. E. Jewell, Ridgeley.

Mrs. Charles May, entertained the Susannah Wesley circle Saturday night at her home.

Fort Ashby Personals

Audrey Funk has returned to Strayer's Business college, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Pedicord and family spent the holidays with their parents in Wheeling, W. Va.

Mrs. Eleanor Wasson and son, Ronald, Martinsburg, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Dean Wasson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Adams attended the funeral of Mrs. Amanda A. Rollins Sunday at Flintstone.

Genevieve Brown, Charleston, is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Willison are occupying one of Nellie Herschberg's apartments.

Mrs. Beaty Pyles, is a patient at the Allegany hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Dowden have started to build a home near the new school building.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hiser, Brandy Wine, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Black, Kline, were visitors at the home of Mrs. Maude Walker.

Oland Graps, Slanesville, is visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lesley Pyles.

Mary Lee Burger spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Burger, Cresaptown.

Mrs. Paul Thompson, Kennel Square, Pa., and Edward Spile, Kimbleville, Pa., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cos Spile.

Six Children Baptized At Midland Church

MIDLAND, Nov. 26.—Six children were baptized at the Sunday services of Grace Methodist church by the Rev. Joseph W. Young.

Four of the children were Lillian Winifred, Virginia Lee, Donald Earl and Ronald Charles Fleagle, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fleagle, Miller Mines. The latter children are twins.

Also baptized were the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy T. Craze, Cresaptown, and the small son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Elsentrot, Frostburg. They were named, respectively, Linda Lou and Harry George. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Craze are the grandparents of these two.

Midland Personals

Mrs. Hannah Mills is a patient at Memorial hospital, Cumberland.

Mamie McMahon has returned to Washington, D. C., after attending the funeral of her uncle, Thomas Stakem.

Phi Beta Kappa Elects Nine at W. Va. U.

By The Associated Press

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., Nov. 26 (AP)—West Virginia university officials announced today the election of nine students to membership in Phi Beta Kappa, national honorary scholastic fraternity.

Orval James Anderson of Rowlesburg, who had a straight "A" average for the last three years, led the list. Included was Edwin William Crooks of Parkersburg.

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Vengeful Giants Aim To Extend Belt of Scalps

Dodgers' Defeat Would Put Maramen in Second Place in Race

New York, Nov. 26.—Ever since the Giants were eliminated as contenders for the Eastern championship of the National Football League, they have developed a nuisance value that is positively painful to the opposition. Unable to get into the play-off themselves they certainly have made trouble for the contenders.

They knocked off the Green Bay Packers two Sundays ago, allowing the Packers' pursuit of the Chicago Bears in the Western half of the league. Last Sunday they beat the Washington Redskins and kept them from clinching the Eastern championship. And this week they are out to down the Dodgers, leapfrog into second place and at the same time deprive the Brooklyn team of its last slender chance to finish the season in a first-place tie with the Redskins.

Too late the Giants are smacking 'em down, playing hard and resourceful football despite the absence of Ward Cuff and Eddie Miller, two of their best backs. In vain is Len Barnum turning himself loose and skyrocketing to stardom.

The regular season ends this Sunday. The fans are giving a day in the Polo Grounds for Mel Hein, Giants captain and all-league center. And the Giants and Dodgers are tuning up for another slambang battle.

Despite the fact that the Dodgers have not won from the Giants since 1936, when they scored their only victory in a series begun in 1926, the Giants are more concerned about this game than they were about the one in Ebbets Field Nov. 3, which they won, 10 to 7.

The Giants will face a stronger Brooklyn team than the one they met Nov. 3, but are themselves a better club now than they were then.

The Dodgers and the Giants are the best defensive teams in the league. Brooklyn has yielded only 114 points, and the Giants 119.

From the PRESS BOX
Our Persistent Poll Gives Final Rating

By JOHN LARDNER

NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—The Lardner poll is now ready to give a final rating to the college football teams of 1940.

This step, so eagerly awaited by the public, is taken without fear. Nothing will deter us from it. In behalf of the Lardner poll, I scorn and defy those who have resorted to threats and intimidation to keep us from making known the facts as we find them.

I admit that the poll is dynamic. The governments of at least five countries probably will fail as a result of its publication. Certain political interests in this country, knowing that their sinister machinations will stand revealed, have attempted to buy us off, or menace the Lardner poll with violence. I quote at random from various letters received and filed by our secretary, Miss Flora (Muscle) Gollyghly:

"Better lay off."

"Think it over carefully."

"We are watching you like hawks, and we mean business."

"Would you be interested in a bribe of \$10,000? This offer also entitles you to a year's free subscription to 'Veterinary News'."

Can't Be Intimidated

And so on. Needless to say, I repudiated every hint of coercion. Taking Miss Gollyghly a-de, I spoke to her firmly but gently.

"If anyone calls to make trouble," I said, "tell them I cannot be intimidated."

If necessary, I said, handing her the trusty old carbine with which my granddaddy fought at Yorktown, "Defend the honor of the Lardner poll with your last gasp. If you want to get in touch with me, try Palm Beach. I am going to take a little vacation for the next few days."

Now these words inspired Miss Gollyghly. I will not attempt to describe her lips tightened, and her eyes caught fire. It was very interesting to watch, though I couldn't stay till the end of the show.

The Lardner poll has handled the football situation without gloves this week. A total of 51,789 sports editors were polled, of whom more than 45,000 speak very acceptably English. The rest were able to make themselves understood by signs. They were asked to weigh and analyze carefully before giving their selections. One of them had a prejudice, which he awkwardly attempted to hide behind his back, but my agent spotted the gesture

Maryland Is Not Planning Big Time Football Program

"Curly" Byrd Denies Report State University Plans Changes

COLLEGE PARK, Md., Nov. 26.—Dr. H. C. Byrd, the University of Maryland's president and former football coach, today denied a report that the school is planning a "big-time" grid program.

There is "absolutely nothing to it," Byrd said of a Baltimore Sun story that the university was planning a program to include a "name" coach, prominent eastern and middle western opponents and aid to "legitimate" athletes.

"We are not going to do anything differently than we now are doing to get athletes," Byrd said. "If we can develop a team compatible with our education program that will win half its major games, we would be happy."

Maryland, operating this year under a coaching board composed of Jack Faber, Al Heagy and Al Woods, has lost six games and won two, the victims being Western Maryland and Rutgers.

The Terps wind up their season Saturday by meeting Washington and Lee at College Park. In the series to date Maryland has won eight games and W. L. five, and one ended in a scoreless tie.

Cage Officials To Hold Rules Meeting Here

A basketball rule interpretation meeting will be held at 8 o'clock this evening in the Board of Education Building, Washington street, by the Cumberland branch of the Western Maryland and Eastern West Virginia Board of Approved Basketball Officials.

Tonight's meeting has been called by Johnny Long, president of the branch, and the session will be open to all officials, coaches and players interested in discussing a uniform application of the 1940-41 rules. Members of the Cumberland branch are especially anxious to have officials not affiliated with their group to be present.

Cards, Pirates Dicker In Trade, Rickey Hints

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Nov. 26.—Branch Rickey, general manager of the St. Louis Cardinals, conferred for two hours today with William E. Benswanger, president, and Frankie Frisch, manager, of the Pittsburgh Pirates.

Rickey indicated that the meeting concerned a probable player deal but added nothing definite would be decided until the men confer again at the annual minor league meeting at Atlanta, next month.

and cancelled his vote. The man cried like a baby.

Same Cack-Eyed Basis

Points this week were awarded on a basis of 12 for a first-place vote, 17 for second place, 3.2 for third, and so on, to avoid confusion. Any resemblance to persons living or dead is a hellish coincidence. We give you without further preface the ten best college football teams of 1940, as established by the survey of the Lardner poll.

C. C. N. Y.—976
Luther—834
Middlebury—795
Edmond Teachers—613
Lowell Textile—526
Millsaps—472
Cortland—345
Sewanee—238
William Jewell—63

Minnesota finished thirty-seventh in the Lardner poll, Boston College forty-fifth, and Stanford one hundred and sixty-ninth. This means that you can fool some of the sports editors, but not the ones we talk to.

The Lardner poll suffered one slight setback when Idaho resigned from the first ten last week. Any team is free to resign, and Idaho merely exercised her constitutional right, but we think she made a big mistake. We were glad to have her around. The sports editors had every confidence in her. She probably will come up with some other poll at a slight raise in pay, in which case, our message to Idaho is: Money ain't everything. We hope you will not live to regret it, but we are pretty sure you will.

One final bulletin: No matter what you hear, the Lardner poll will positively not accept an invitation to the Rose Bowl.

The Spotlight by GRANTLAND RICE

(Released by North American Newspaper Alliance)

The Off-Trail

The off-trails of football that rarely lead to the major headlines can take you into a country just as interesting as Minnesota, Stanford, Texas A. and M., Boston College and Tennessee.

For example, during the late World Series in Cincinnati I ran across a number of old-time football players who told me about back by the name of Jackie Hunt of Marshall College in Huntington, West Virginia.

"I played against George Gipp," one old-timer said, "and I'd rather have Hunt than Gipp."

"I played against Cliff Battles," another reported, "and I'll take Hunt over Battles. He is just as good a ball carrier, a great kicker, a fine passer and a star defensive back."

When good football players tell you about a fellow who is better than Gipp and Battles you begin to take notice. So two months ago I crawled a little out on the limb for Jackie Hunt.

Being on the off-trail, away from the beaten path, Hunt was hard to follow. But he was the big factor in beating V.P.I. and also in capturing 19 points against Wake Forest, a team good enough to beat North Carolina, 12 to 0. Picking up what I could here and there, (after all, there are over 400 college teams playing 200 games each week), I discovered Jackie Hunt was doing all right.

The next investigation discovered that he was the leading scorer of the country, well ahead of such people as Harmon and Kimbrough and the rest.

About this time I ran into Jack Sutherland, the Dodge mander. "I know about Hunt," Jack said. "We wanted him at Pittsburgh. He was the best high school back in America that year. Big, fast, passer, ball carrier and kicker, loaded with exceptional football spirit. But Hunt wanted to stay in his home town at Huntington with Marshall. He felt that Huntington was where he belonged. Even as a high school player he was an outstanding star."

More than a few leading colleges tried to explain to Hunt that he could take the headlines away from Harmon and Kimbrough, from Reagan and O'Rourke. Hunt wasn't interested in headlines. He loved football, but he wanted to play at home.

A 185-pound ten-second man who could do about everything, this West Virginian let nation-wide fame roll by as he went on scoring three or four touchdowns in almost every game for dear old Marshall. This attitude was more important than all the touchdowns he scored, which lead the nation.

A few days ago I received a screeled from a sport writing friend from West Virginia who knows his stuff.

"You may remember," he wrote, "that I've only slipped you one tip. Years ago I told you that we had a hillbilly by the name of Sammy Snead who was on his way up with the greatest swing in golf. That was before anyone knew anything about Sammy Snead. You printed what I wrote to you. Now I'm telling you that Jackie Hunt of Marshall College is a better football player than Sammy Snead is a golfer."

"I know his schedule isn't what Minnesota or Michigan faces. But I know that he can do I'd like to see him, on equal terms, play against Harmon or Kimbrough, for I know he can do more things better with a football. He can run with either and outkick and outpass both. And you can't find a better defensive player."

"Hunt is in the same spot Dutch Clark once held. 'A great player,' they said, 'but no schedule.' Dutch Clark is still the all-time All-American quarterback in your book and almost every other book. Hunt is bigger and faster than Dutch Clark, and can do everything as well."

This is no fake ballyhoo for Jackie Hunt, whom I have never seen. But when Doc Spears, coach of Dartmouth, Minnesota and Oregon, now at Toledo, who has seen Hunt play two years, adds his testimony, you have to listen.

Doc Spears doesn't believe there is a better all-around back in America. And he has no exceptions. "One of the greatest," is the Doc Spears tribute.

Hunt went to Marshall College knowing it would be almost impossible to make an All-America for this one reason—the schedule. The important question would be asked—"Hunt may look good against V. P. I. and Toledo and Wake Forest, but let him try to run against Minnesota, Michigan, Northwestern, Tennessee and Texas A. and M. What then?"

There is something to this angle. But I know several pro coaches who would just as soon have Hunt, when he graduates, as either Harmon or Kimbrough—except for the matter of publicity and gate receipts where the more highly-publicized names have the call.

My main interest in Jackie Hunt is that he could have gone to almost any headline college—could have been an outstanding star—but that he turned back all the proselyting, scholarships, good job offers made him—all the All-American fame—into stick with the home town and the home college, where they couldn't pay him a dime.

Too many have taken the other road.

Hunt must be a great football player, from his record and from every testimony offered, and in addition he must be a great guy. The proselyters couldn't even get their hands on him. Try to think up a finer tribute.

G. C. Murphy League

FOUNTAIN	W	L	T
B. Kuhn	105	92	323
H. Linde	71	89	216
C. Kuhlman	76	83	261
G. Miller	123	102	311
M. Blume	81	80	244
G. James	117	114	326
R. Kuhn	108	120	328
D. Linde	108	143	453
Totals	842	822	2462
TOYS	W	L	T
G. Minnick	80	52	195
D. Ambrose	63	75	217
M. Grimm	98	118	284
B. Smith	120	136	283
M. Blume	110	138	333
S. Blume	119	201	455
B. Bastian	118	96	312
R. Minnick	97	135	371
Totals	763	935	2281
LADIES WEAR	W	L	T
Freight	107	80	117
Quicker	122	97	131
Bunkin	83	75	217
Pisher	88	64	214
N. Geller	98	93	283
H. Boren	100	84	283
Herbik	115	123	338
Blind	106	85	247
Totals	791	729	2210
JAMES	W	L	T
R. James	131	163	470
M. Zatz	114	114	438
B. Broadwater	109	87	315
P. Broadwater	92	90	262
D. Noonan	110	148	358
Schilling	119	113	328
Ponten	118	113	328
Mrs. James	82	86	247
Totals	955	935	2718
HOSIERS	W	L	T
F. Valentine	93	122	316
R. Valentine	85	79	248
B. Myers	128	96	324
S. Waterman	75	68	210
H. Casey	93	92	236
M. McGinnis	59	72	187
N. Shaffer	128	119	377
H. Work	120	119	377
Totals	914	796	2660
CURTAIN	W	L	T
Baker	71	71	209
Fairbank	104	84	274
James	80	57	206
Sprinkle	68	58	212
Twinn	98	58	123
Blind	370	372	975
Totals	714	765	2209

DODGERS	W	L	T
Wood	94	83	275
Arnsen	128	118	373
Youngblood	71	89	263
Bradfield	84	84	272
Matheny	128	135	427
Markwood	143	183	397
Totals	621	683	1810
TIGERS	W	L	T
Feltner	173	123	428
Kleban	139	146	478
Davis	134	109	332
Dremer	154	180	524
Blind	137	163	489
Totals	678	666	1928
INDIANS	W	L	T
Twigg	94	165	374
Harrison	161	123	397
A. Storey	87	82	238
Nave	139	115	364
Kienholder	170	125	414
Blind	147	117	364
Totals	766	747	2104
GIANTS	W	L	T
Stevenson	189	169	431
Aronson	137	115	372
T. Storey	118	101	334
Nichols	134	158	396
McComick	128	138	406
Boal	131	131	423
Lyons	118	116	392
Totals	855	736	2395
REDS	W	L	T
Rhind	177	160	437
Arnsen	170	129	428
Gray	193	165	442
Smith	122	83	305
Jewell	114	170	426
Warnick	129	165	458
Totals	726	669	2201
YANKS	W	L	T
Amato	115	124	440
Long	108	86	321
Walt	139	140	419
Sotnick	121	90	312
Logson	109	91	313
Goetz	139	176	492
Totals	621	700	2225

White Antelope, Nature's Freak, Rare on Plains

Ranchman's Son Finds One in Wyoming, Helps It; Many View Curiosity

Had it been born in the day of the red men there might have grown from that little bundle of flesh and hair a romantic legend of a white antelope that ruled the prairies of Wyoming, traveling alone and unafraid among the wolves, protected by the Great Spirit that it might give health and power to all who viewed it. The story, no doubt, would have taken its place along with those of the gray buffalo that was run over a timrock and left to rot in the sun because the Indians thought it embodied an evil spirit.

As it was, this tiny little bit of antelope oddity was born into a modern world, and because it was found by a young ranchman, survived the loss of its mother and grew to maturity sucking its strength from a rubber nipple on a milk-filled bottle, writes Jack Richard in "Nature Magazine." Bud Sanford, son of Archie Sanford, central Wyoming ranchman, found the orphan—a pure white baby antelope. The find plunged him into the cowboy's idea of disgrace, having to walk back to camp without saddle horse, but Bud did not mind, for in his arms he carried a rare treasure. But we are ahead of our story.

It was spring on the range. The Wyoming hills were turning a bright green as the snows melted under the warming rays of the sun. Bud was loping through the rolling country to meet the cowboys on a cattle round-up. The strong, even strides of his horse were sweet music to his muscles, and he was happy with the wealth of youth in the spring.

As he topped the hills and swayed down into the wide-sloping valleys his eyes would scan every brush and rock, picking out a rabbit here, a sage hen there, separating them from the tiny drifts of snow, that still clung to the shady sides of the brush. At the top of a distant rise he spotted a horse and then, his eyes long accustomed to catching movement of any type, focused on a bit of something white that seemed to flutter a trifle in the breeze.

Curious, he turned his horse in that direction, for snow does not flutter, and a white rag had no business so far out in the open country. As he approached, the spot began to take the lines of a small animal. He spurred his horse to a run and a minute later he held in his arms a tiny, two-day-old antelope, weak and nearly dead from lack of nourishment. He guessed that its mother had deserted it at birth because its color frightened her.

As he turned to mount, the horse, startled by the strange sight, bolted, and Bud, in cowboy boots and chaps, his "baby" in his arms, faced a long walk home.

Mrs. Sanford, Bud's mother, took charge of the latest addition to the ranch life an adopting the "bum lamb" technique, soon had the little thing's stomach full of warm cow's milk sweetened with syrup. All that happened about two years ago. The fame of the "white antelope of Natrona County" has spread far and wide. Hundreds of people drive to the ranch each month to view the strange creature. Its pictures have been splashed across the pages of the nation's newspapers and offers have come in from many zoos. But still it remains at its adopted home.

Most popular national parks of the United States during the 1940 summer travel season were the Shenandoah and Great Smoky Mountains parks, in the east, and Rocky Mountain National park in Colorado. For attendance they ranked in the order named.

Eagles are found in all parts of the globe except arctic and antarctic regions.

Dodgers Lose Appeal To Bar Eagle-Steeler Clash Thursday

NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—Dan Topping, owner of the Brooklyn Dodgers, was overruled on his protest against the scheduled Philadelphia-Pittsburgh game this Thursday when Carl Storck, president of the National Professional Football League, reversed his field last night in announcing that the Eagles-Steelers bout definitely will take place Thursday in Philadelphia. Earlier Storck had ruled from Dayton, Ohio, that the game must be postponed until after this Sunday's Washington-Philadelphia battle, which has an important bearing on the Eastern Division championship.

Elks' Bowling League

STANDING OF CLUBS	W	L	Pct.
Slammers	18	6	.750
Dremsman	12	12	.500
Reinhardt	10	14	.417
Lymings	6	18	.250

The seven-match winning streak of Captain Carl Slammer's team in Division "B" of the Elks' Bowling League was broken last week when Captain Mark Reinhardt's outfit bagged a 2-1 victory over the leaders, taking the third and deciding game by six sticks. Nelson Cesna copped individual honors with 183-487 scores.

Captain George Lyming's crew raised the Division "B" team, game and set records to 3,373 and 1,300, breaking the Slammer team's 3,352, 1,178 counts, in taking two of three games from Captain Henry Dressman's aggregation. Bern Grevy paced the winners with 190-461, while Dick Duval had the high game of 220 in topping the Dressman outfit with 473. The scores:

LYMINGS	W	L	T
Cole	106	168	371
Trotter	73	136	361
Vogel	89	161	371
King	73	123	350
Weber	124	109	368
Prater	105	115	362
Carroll	87	151	381
McGregory	146	190	481
Lyming	114	182	411
Totals	899	1306	3174

DRESSMAN	W	L	T
Hetzel	105	162	371
Apple	129	130	405
Clark	78	85	341
Sturte	139	106	381
Sheakley	92	110	321
Hafer	121	101	356
Duval	117	136	421
Densen	99	113	317
Dressman	116	158	381
Totals	1066	1641	3136

SLAMMERS	W	L	T
Cesna	143	183	487
Lamm	147	79	334
Slammer	104	114	393
Higgins	79	97	326
Clover	154	123	399
Blind	96	94	317
Blind	88	94	317
Totals	831	825	2426

REINHARDT	W	L	T
Kelley	94	114	367
Spoerl	80	117	349
Wagner	134	104	371
M. Reinhardt	138	94	318
M. Reinhardt	151	127	403
H. Strengier	115	98	317
Shaffer	144	100	372
Totals	866	734	2496

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West Virginia Has Opponents Poll

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., Nov. 26.—The Mountaineers of West Virginia University awarded the Fordham Rams five places today on the all-opponent eleven.

Second place went to Penn State, which won four places, while individual honors were awarded to Tommy Maloney, Cincinnati tackle, and Pepper Petrella, Penn State's mighty mite. Both were selected unanimously.

The team included: Ends, Vargo of Penn State and Denny of Fordham; tackles, Maloney of Cincinnati and Kuzman of Fordham; guards, Rupp of Michigan State and Mori of Penn State; center, DeFilippo of Fordham; backs, Petrella of Penn State, Wyman of Michigan State, Filippone of Fordham and Eshmont of Fordham.

Michigan-Minnesota Benefit Game Proposed

DETROIT, Nov. 26.—A movement to have the Universities of Michigan and Minnesota meet in a post-season football game, the rights to go to the American Red Cross, was under way today. The benefit game was suggested by a group of Detroit alumni of the University of Michigan, and A. J. Berg, manager of the Detroit Red Cross chapter, said his organization was "interested."

Although Western Conference rules prohibit post-season games, it was pointed out that the ban was lifted in 1931 to permit member schools to play an extra game for employment relief.

Maryland's Sport Round-Up

BALTIMORE, Nov. 26.—There seems to have been a slight unpleasantness following the Fort Hill Allegany football game at Cumberland on Thanksgiving Day. Some more egg-and-tomato throwing. That just shows what political campaigns will do to boys and girls.

However, it is hard to imagine any kid who has earned a letter in football, basketball, track or baseball indulging in a brawl over the outcome of a game.

If the culprits were letters, it couldn't have been major sports letters for one earns those on the field of battle.

Oh well, times change, and they give letters for most anything these days. They should let both football teams paddle the culprits.

Nig Grove and his gang of Frederick football fans, who follow the Redskins to New York every year, never seem to have any luck.

Last year they say the Giants trim the Tribe and this year the pesky New Yorkers did the same thing again.

One of the high spots of the winter sports program for Maryland this year will be "the Southern ski championships," to be held on the week end of Washington's Birthday at New Germany.

Invitations for the event will be extended to ski clubs all along the Eastern seaboard. It will give Maryland winter sports fans a chance to see and participate in a championship ski meet.

Meanwhile, all the hills at New Germany need are as much as three inches of snow and the sport will be in full swing.

Prominent Stables Join Hialeah Colony

MIAMI, Fla., Nov. 26.—Latest stables to join Hialeah Park's horse colony now assembled for the winter meeting, January 8 to March 1, inclusive, are those of the Miami Jockey Club's ranking executives, John C. Clark, president, and Joseph E. Widener, chairman of the board.

A. G. (Bob) Robertson, New York trainer, brought 18 horses from Belmont Park, which includes not only Clark's horses but a division for Gustav Ring, of Washington, D. C.

Trainer Dan Stewart arrived from the beautiful Elmendorf establishment at Lexington with 16 Widener thoroughbreds to include Royal Master, a 2-year-old son of Sickle and La Rosarie, and a Gallant Fox yearling purchased at the Saratoga sales from the Belair Stud, which are the property of Mrs. P.A.B. Widener.

The Widener consignment consists of Conqueror II, br. c. 4; Raphael II, b. c. 3; Ranger II, b. c. 3; Plowshare, br. c. 3; Town Boy, b. g. 3; Breathless, bl. f. 3; Rose Anita, b. f. 2; Royal Robes, ch. f. 2; Subura, b. f. 2; Buckboard, b. g. 2, and five yearlings, namely a bay colt, by

Haste-Neer Again; a bay colt, by Sickle-Tripping Toe; a bay gelding, by Brevity-Pantica; a gray colt, by Galant Fox-Tetrina II, and a chestnut filly, by Sickle-Triplex.

Giants Buy Oregano To Strengthen Infield

NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—The New York Giants took steps to strengthen their infield today when they purchased Joe Oregano from the St. Louis Cardinals for cash and two players to be named.

Oregano, who hit 287 in 129 games last season, was pretty much of a utility infielder with the Cards last season after coming up from Sacramento of the Pacific Coast League. He played 77 games at second, 34 at shortstop and 18 at third base. The Cards first brought him up in 1939, but after a week he was sent back to the Coast for more seasoning.

The Giants did not indicate whether he would be placed at second or third. Burgess Whitehead came back last season to play a bang-up game at second, but showed he also was a polished third-sacker when injuries forced Manager Bill Terry to rearrange his infield.

William and Mary To Play Dartmouth

WILLIAMSBURG, Va., Nov. 26.—Carl Voyles, William and Mary athletic director, tonight announced a nine-game football schedule for 1941 which included an intersectional contest with Dartmouth at Hanover, N. H.

Dartmouth replaces Virginia on the W. & M. schedule. Other opponents are the same as were met during the season just ended which saw the Braves win their first state grid championship.

The schedule:
Sept. 20—Apprentice School at Williamsburg.
Sept. 27—Navy at Annapolis.
Oct. 4—Randolph-Macon at Williamsport.

Oct. 11—Virginia Tech at Richmond.
Oct. 18—Hampton-Sydney at Williamsport.

Oct. 25—Open.
Nov. 1—Dartmouth at Hanover, N. H.
Nov. 8—V.M.I. at Williamsburg.

Nov. 15—N. C. State at Norfolk.
Nov. 20—Richmond at Richmond.

Ump Calls One Wrong, Invites Kick in Pants

Manager Fred Haney of the St. Louis Browns, came up with one of the funnier umpire stories of 1940 recently, mentioning no names for publication. It seems that the Browns were playing the White Sox one day in Chicago and one of the Sox hit a nice hopper down to Don Heffner, who threw over to first and the runner looked to be out by two steps.

Much to every one's surprise and Haney's ire, the arbiter on first called him safe, writes John P. Carmichael in "The Chicago Daily News." Fred rushed from the dugout. "Do you mean to tell me you called him safe?" he yelled at the ump.

The official seemed suddenly to see Haney in a sort of a startled way and he cracked back: "Safe? whaddya mean, safe? Who called him safe?" Haney howled: "You did?" whereupon the umpire retorted: "Well, you can kick me in the pants for that one all right. I was thinking of something else, I guess. He was out five feet." That quieted Haney. "O. K." he said, "go ahead and change it." But

the ump refused. "No," he said, "I won't. You can give me a good swift kick, but he's safe."

The San Francisco earthquake and fire caused damage estimated at \$250,000,000.



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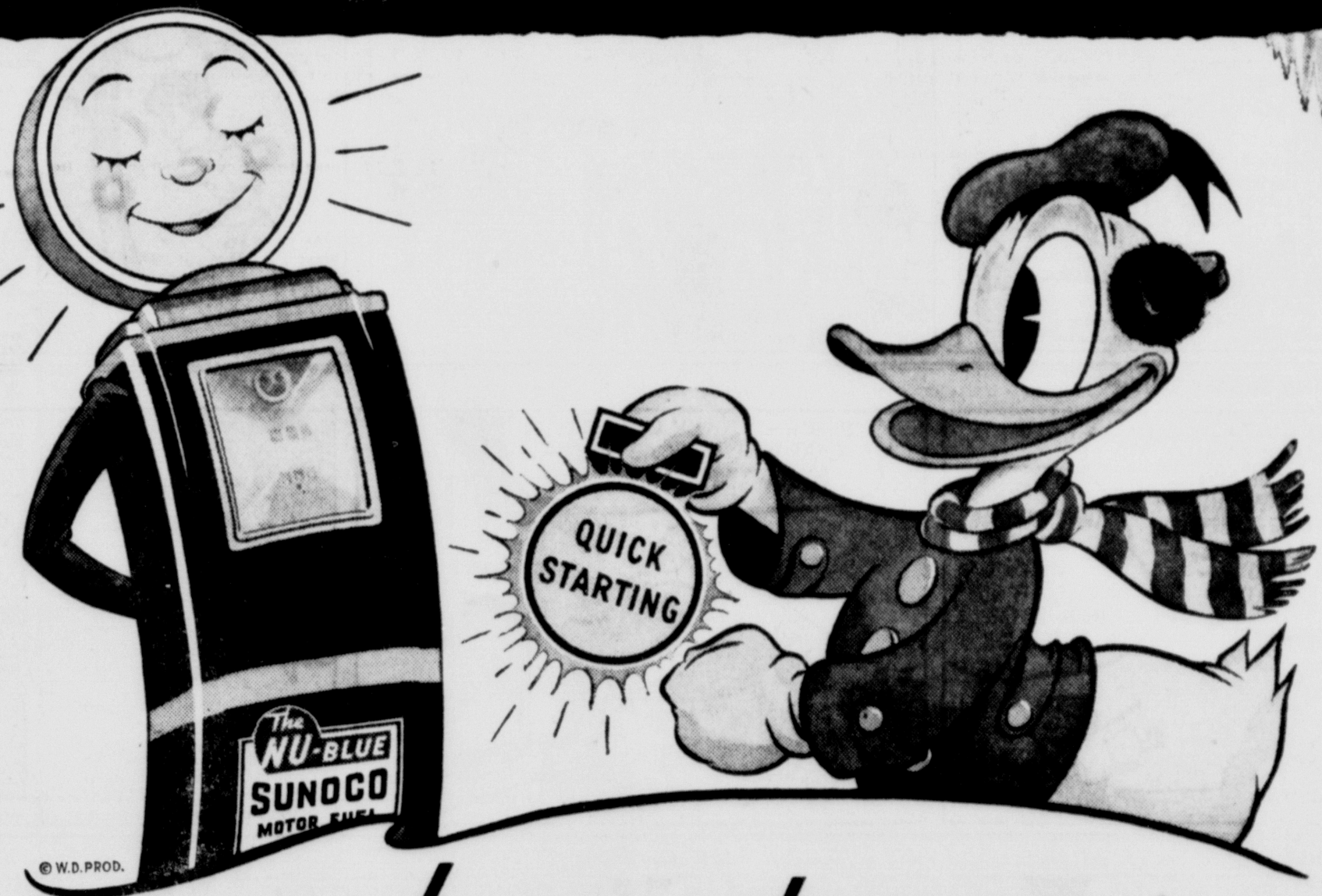
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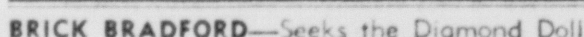
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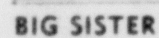


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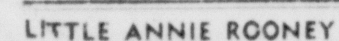
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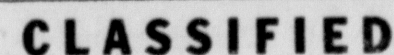


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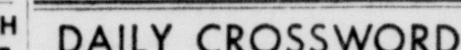
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Funeral Notice

BOOR—Andrew J., aged 75, 312 N. Main St., Keyser, W. Va., died Monday, November 25th. Funeral services Thursday, 2:30 P. M., from the home, with the Rev. O. C. Mitchell, pastor First Methodist Church, officiating, assisted by the Rev. C. K. Soule, pastor Trinity Lutheran Church. Interment in Queen Point Cemetery, Keyser. Arrangements by J. H. Markwood Sons, Funeral Directors, Keyser.

BYLES—Mrs. Harriett Ann (Baker), aged 80, wife of the late James Thomas Byles, died at her home in Port Ashby, W. Va., Monday, November 25th. Funeral services Thursday, 2 P. M., from Trinity Methodist Church, Port Ashby, Rev. Ambrose will officiate. Interment in Port Ashby Cemetery. Arrangements by Hader Funeral Service, 11-26-11-TN.

BUCY—Mrs. Elizabeth Higgins, aged 80, widow of Gilbert R. Bucy, died Monday, November 25th, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Hughes, 692 Ogden Drive, West from home of Rev. George E. Baughman, pastor of the First Methodist Church, Port Ashby, W. Va. Interment in Rose Hill Cemetery. Arrangements by William H. Kight Funeral Service, 11-27-11-TN.

JORDAN—Mrs. Jeanette, aged 89, widow of Charles J. Jordan, died Tuesday, November 26th, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Hughes, 692 Ogden Drive, West from home of Rev. George E. Baughman, pastor of the First Methodist Church, Port Ashby, W. Va. Interment in Rose Hill Cemetery. Arrangements by William H. Kight Funeral Service, 11-27-11-TN.

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Buses Run behind Schedule; Weather Man Forecasts Rain for Today

Cumberland and surrounding sections were hit yesterday by the worst weather it has experienced this fall with sleet, rain and snow causing much discomfort to motorists and pedestrians alike.

Traffic moved at a snail's pace in Cumberland and sidewalks were covered with a shaly mixture of sleet and snow making travel almost hazardous.

The lowest temperature of the fall was experienced yesterday morning when the thermometer atop city hall recorded an overnight low of 23 degrees. At 8 a. m. the temperature stood at 26 degrees. The maximum yesterday was 42 degrees.

The weather forecast for this section today was rain ending early in the day except snow flurries in the mountainous areas today and night.

Cars, especially those which stood out all night, were covered with a heavy coating of ice necessitating much work to remove same from windshields and windows.

Leo T. Downey, district road engineer for the state roads commission ordered roads equipment out to cinder the ice-glazed highways.

Mr. Downey said the snow plows were used to prevent a "snow crust" from forming which would nullify any cinder that was done. After the plows had cleared the snow and sleet from the highways they were cindered. Twenty-five pieces of state roads equipment were being used in this district he said.

Snow plows were out in the mountains west of Frostburg and the Big Savage weather station reported late last night that roads had been cleared but that travel was still highly dangerous. The temperature at Big Savage was 22 degrees at 10:30 last night and four inches of snow were also reported.

The same condition existed in the Grantsville section which reported very little traffic with the drivers of cars running slow to avoid skidding.

The Blue Ridge Blue Company reported that travel east and west of Cumberland by its equipment was running about a half hour late due to the fact the big buses find it hard to get traction on the "sandy-like" snow and sleet on the highways.

The B. & O. railroad dispatcher reported about three inches of snow along its lines east to about Hagerstown and west to the Connetquot, Pa. section. Trains were running on time.

Along the Western Maryland railroad the snow and sleet reached a depth of four inches and at Thomas, W. Va., and Deal, Pa., the temperature was 22 at 10:30 p. m. last night. Both freight and passenger traffic were running on schedule.

Needless to say all shoe and department stores in Cumberland did a "land office" business in the sale of galoshes and rubbers.

The precipitation of snow and sleet in Cumberland stopped about 10 p. m. last night.

Nineteen Receive Boy Scout Awards

Boys of Six Local Troops Receive Badges at Court of Honor

Nineteen boys of six local Boy Scout troops received awards last night at a Court of Honor conducted by Cumberland District, Boy Scouts of America at the Presbyterian church hall, Washington street.

Due to the redecoration and painting of the first floor of the Cumberland Free Public Library the ceremonies were transferred to the church hall.

Dr. Leslie E. Daugherty presided at the event and the following awards were presented:

Second class awards—Forrest Karr, Troop 4; Paul Thrasher, Troop 2; William Mosner, Alvin Paul, Joseph Becker, Robert Curry, Donald Hoyle, Fred Burkley, John Steiner, Charles Steiner, Francis Browning and John Mellon.

First class awards—Fred Neely, Troop 6; James Cecil, Troop 9.

Merit Badge awards—John Sloan, bookbinding, Troop 4; Edward Glick, art, Troop 6; Mickey Glick, handicraft and safety, Troop 6; Eugene Kootz, pioneering, camping and personal health, Troop 7; Philip Freeland, scholarship, Troop 8.

Two Drivers Are Fined, Another Forfeits Bond

Two drivers were fined and another forfeited bond yesterday in trial magistrates court on charges of violating state motor laws.

Paul E. Arnold, 109 Grand avenue, forfeited \$10.75 collateral for displaying markers issued to another vehicle. He was arrested last Wednesday on the McMillen highway at Bowling Green by State Trooper A. H. Bickle.

Lilne C. Stierstorfer, 543 Central avenue, was fined \$5 and costs after he pleaded guilty to speeding in a 30-mile zone along the McMillen highway. State Trooper B. C. Mason preferred the charges.

Aubrey A. Chambers, of RFD 2, Cumberland, paid \$1 and costs on a charge of reckless driving, viz., driving at excessive speed while rounding a curve on Route 40. Trooper Mason made the arrest Sept. 15.

Harry C. Jones Says White Was Employed Against His Orders

BALTIMORE, Nov. 26 (AP)—State Employment Commissioner Harry C. Jones testified today that Elmer J. White of Salisbury was employed as superintendent of the new Havre de Grace toll bridge without the approval of his department and—later—against Jones' orders.

Commissioner Jones was the first witness called at the opening of a hearing before Judge W. Conwell Smith in city court on a mandamus proceeding instituted against the state roads commission by Elwood C. Schaffer, of Cumberland.

Schaffer contends he ranked ahead of White on the civil service list for the bridge appointment and was a veteran. Despite this, his suit alleges, the roads commission "passed over" him and appointed White, in violation of the Veterans Preference law.

Jones was on the witness stand most of the day and testimony was devoted largely to reading into the record correspondence between the litigants in connection with the bridge appointment.

Henry P. Ryan, 63, Dies Following Heart Attack

Service Station Employee Succumbs while Enroute to Hospital

Henry P. Ryan, 63, of 126 Virginia avenue died early yesterday morning while enroute to Allegany hospital. He was stricken with a heart attack while at work at the S. & W. service station on the Baltimore Pike, about two miles beyond the city limits.

Mr. Ryan complained of feeling ill during the night and when it was noted that he became progressively worse, his son-in-law, Earl L. Warner, hurried him to the hospital. He was pronounced dead upon arrival there.

Born at Lowery's Creek, Pa., Mr. Ryan was a son of the late George and Tillie Ryan.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Helen Warner, 122 West Second street, to whom home the body was taken; and one brother, John Ryan, of Williamsport, Pa.

Mrs. Jordan Succumbs

Mrs. Jeannette Jordan, 80, widow of Charles Jordan, formerly of Wheeling, W. Va., died yesterday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Hughes, 692 Gephart Drive.

Surviving, besides Mrs. Hughes, are three sons, Albert, Dewey and Harry Jordan, this city; and two other daughters, Mrs. James Smith and Mrs. Anthony Comiskey, both of Columbus, Ohio.

Cade Rites Held

Funeral services for Mrs. Virginia Bell Clingerman Cade, 68, widow of George Cade, of Elkins, W. Va., who died Sunday, were held yesterday afternoon by the Rev. H. L. Kuntz, pastor of United Brethren church, Elkins. Burial was made in I. O. O. F. cemetery.

A son, John Clingerman, of Cumberland, is among those surviving.

Edward Shumaker Dies

Edward Lee Shumaker, 79, formerly of Ellerslie, died Monday, November 25, at the home of his son, George, of Shinnston, W. Va.

He left Ellerslie thirteen years ago to make his home in Shinnston.

He is survived by four other sons, Clarence E. Shumaker, of Meyersdale, Pa.; Robert L. Shumaker and James B. Shumaker, both of Fairmont, W. Va.; a sister, Mrs. Mary Lepley, of near Cumberland, also survives.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow at the home of his son with burial being made in the Masonic cemetery, Shinnston.

Mrs. Pyles Succumbs

Mrs. Harriet Ann Pyles, 80, widow of James T. Pyles, died Monday night at her home in Fort Ashby, W. Va., following an illness of three weeks.

Mrs. Pyles was a native of Mineral county, W. Va., and a daughter of the late Jonathan and Julia Rice Baker. She was a member of Trinity.

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Green Irked over Report Woman, 76, Lost Relief for Supporting Willkie

Commissioner Urges Case Be Investigated; Miss Heipp Surprised

A report that a 76-year-old Allegheny county woman was tossed off the relief rolls because she supported the wrong candidate for president yesterday got a rise out of Simon W. Green, chairman of the board of county commissioners.

Commissioner Green's outburst occurred at yesterday's board meeting in the presence of Miss Elsie Heipp, of the welfare board. While the commissioner did not submit definite proof that the woman lost her relief due to political activity,

Dr. Arthur Wilson Will Be Speaker At Scout Dinner

75 Expected To Attend Local District Meeting Tonight at Y.M.C.A.

Seventy-five persons are expected to attend the annual dinner meeting of Cumberland District, Boy Scouts of America, which will be held this evening at 6:30 o'clock at the Central Y.M.C.A.

The guest speaker will be the Rev. Arthur P. Wilson, of Washington, D. C., vice-president of the National Capital Area council, Boy Scouts of America, who will speak on "Boy Scout Psychology."

Dr. Wilson has traveled in Australia, India, China and the South seas as well as a visit to his home in England. He has been a speaker on international affairs and maintains a wide correspondence with nationals in about ten different countries.

Born in Adelaide, Australia, Dr. Wilson received his education in medicine and law at Adelaide university and Butler university, Indianapolis, Ind.

Dr. Wilson has been associated with Boy Scout work for many years in Australia and the United States. He is now minister of the Columbia Heights Christian church, Washington, D. C.

A chairman and vice-chairman and member-at-large to the district committee will be elected at tonight's meeting. Miles G. Thompson is chairman and Roy Eves is vice-chairman of the Cumberland district.

George Schwarzenbach is chairman of the attendance committee and Harold W. Smith is chairman of the nominating committee.

Frostburg Wife Asks for Divorce For Third Time

Two Previous Suits Were Dismissed by Mrs. Eva Virginia Pfaff

Charging her husband with inhuman, unnatural and violent conduct, a Frostburg wife yesterday started divorce proceedings in circuit court for the third time.

The suit was filed by Mrs. Eva Virginia Pfaff who charges that the brutality of her husband, Clayton Durning Pfaff, seriously impaired and endangered her health.

The story of a stormy married life is told in Mrs. Pfaff's petition filed by Attorney J. Philip Roman.

The couple was married in 1922 in Hagerstown and have one son, born in 1923. In 1925, Mrs. Pfaff filed suit for a partial divorce charging brutal treatment. However, she eventually dismissed the suit and went back to live with her husband who promised to behave himself.

Pfaff failed to keep his promise, the petition continues, and proceeded to treat his wife with great cruelty, striking and beating her.

In July, 1927, he gave his wife a beating, seriously injured her health, and drove her from his home, the petition states.

Once again Mrs. Pfaff filed suit for a partial divorce and once again she dismissed the proceedings and went back to live with her husband.

However, in 1934 "his treatment of her and his conduct was so inhuman, unnatural and violent that it became impossible for them to live together as husband and wife," Roman's petition claims.

"It greatly impaired and endangered her health whereupon he deserted and abandoned her," the petition alleges.

Since 1934, they have voluntarily lived separate and apart.

Suspended Sentences Are Given to Three Railroad Trespassers

Three men received suspended jail sentences when arraigned yesterday in trial magistrates court on a charge of trespassing on B. & O. Railroad property.

The men, John Weaver, Eugene Wilson and James Haller, of Washington, were ordered to refrain from train-riding and warned to leave Cumberland.

A. C. King, railroad policeman, preferred the charges.

Cab Company Is Named Defendant in Suit

George A. Hutson, of Cumberland, yesterday filed a \$1,000 damage suit against the Astor Cab Company in circuit court.

According to the petition docketed by Attorney Julius E. Schindler, Hutson was struck by a cab October 19, 1940, while walking on Baker street.

DORMITORY CLUB HOLDS QUIZ PROGRAM; THREE NEW MEMBERS ADDED

With the largest attendance of the season present, members of the Dormitory club participated in a quiet program at their regular weekly dinner meeting last evening at the Central Y.M.C.A.

Three new men were admitted to membership, namely, George Daly, R. Cleland and Bert Dodson.

William J. Bender, president of the club, presided.

Those attending were William H. Lewis, George Daly, R. Cleland, Herbert Little, Arthur Gordon, Jack Millner, Bert Dodson, Jack Bolten, John Barley, Willis Conover, Jr., Harold Kendall, Alfred Howe, Philip Blume, Charles Azar, Daniel Campbell, Raymond Smoot, Edwin L. Kuhn, Robert Gettig, Nicholas Tierney, Charles Reed, Edward Gooder, Fred Sell, Francis Guy, Charles Spisak, A. A. Hubler, Elza Nave and William J. Bender.



A PICTURE OF HEALTH—Ten years ago Miss Margaret Morrissey established a Health Center at Cresaptown school and over that period of time the project has attracted much favorable comment. Baby, dental and pre-natal clinics, hygiene guidance classes for mothers and pre-school examinations are held at the center with Dr. Theodore Shrop, assistant county health officer, as the examining physician. The above photograph taken at the center yesterday shows four of the contented babies, their mothers and county health officials. The babies reading left to right are Geary James McKenzie, of Cresaptown; Edward Richard Arnold, of Cresaptown (on the scales); Lois Mae Lee, of Cresaptown, and Ruby Jo-Ann Seaman, of Potomac Park. Those standing are Mrs. Poland, grandmother of the McKenzie baby, Dr. Joseph P. Franklin, city and county health officer, Mrs. Elwood Arnold, Miss Margaret Morrissey, county health nurse; Dr. Shrop, Mrs. F. R. Seaman and Mrs. Kenneth Lee.

Draftees Advised To Take Advantage Of Legal Service Urged To Consult Attorney for Help in Filling Out Questionnaire

The Advisory Board to the four Allegany County Draft Boards issued a statement yesterday concerning the filling out of the eight-page questionnaire now being sent to draftees.

Many of the men are filling out the questionnaire themselves instead of taking them to an attorney for help in getting the correct information placed thereon.

The members of the Allegany County Bar Association volunteered to give this service free of charge but draftees are not making use of it.

Board No. 2, this city, received fifty returned questionnaires and it was found that fifteen of them were filled out incorrectly.

Draftees are advised to take their questionnaires to an attorney and insure that the answers are correct. This will save valuable time for the draft boards and make certain the forms are filled out in the proper manner.

The eight-page form is somewhat complex and the various attorneys have acquainted themselves with it and can be depended upon to give the necessary advice, officials said.

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Local Man Is Sentenced To Thirty Days in Jail For Assaulting Woman

Howard F. Curry, this city, was sentenced to thirty days in the county jail yesterday in trial magistrates court after he pleaded guilty to a charge of assaulting Nellie C. Riley, of South Cumberland.

The Riley woman testified Curry struck her after "a girl he was going with told him lies about me". She said she came to Cumberland from Grafton, W. Va., about nine years ago.

Following the assault hearing, Magistrate Frank A. Perdew ordered Curry held under \$500 bond for action of the January grand jury on a paternity charge.

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DEMOCRATS SPENT \$4,101 IN RECENT COUNTY CAMPAIGN

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According to the report filed in circuit court by Mullane, treasurer of the Democratic State Central Campaign Committee for Allegany county, the party received donations amounting to \$4,134 thereby enabling it to wind up the campaign with a cash balance of \$32.74.

Messenger service which includes the services of approximately 460 workers amounted to \$3,096.25, Mullane's report showed.

Rent for the party headquarters in the Algonquin hotel plus other office expenses amounted to \$774.51. A total of \$230.50 was spent for advertising.

Heaviest contributors to the county war chest were: State Democratic Campaign Headquarters, \$1,000; William C. Walsh, \$529; William D. L. Kuhn, \$400; Joseph D. Mish, \$250; David W. Byron, \$350; David J. Lewis, \$100; Matthew J. Mullane, \$120; W. Earle Cobey, \$100; and James C. Shriver, \$100.

Cresaptown Health Center Rounds Out Tenth Year of Fine Service

Was Established by Margaret Morrissey; Wins Three National Awards

Under the supervision of Miss Margaret Morrissey, county health nurse, the Health Center at Cresaptown school, Miss Myra Nefflen principal, is rounding out its tenth year of invaluable service to Cresaptown and its nearby communities.

Miss Morrissey established the center in 1930 when the Cresaptown school was built and over a period of ten years the work has been carried on by her, officials of the County Board of Health and a Health Committee of the Cresaptown school, now headed by Mrs. Herbert Armstrong, of Rawlins.

Baby, dental and pre-natal clinics, physical examinations for school children, hygiene guidance classes for mothers and pre-school examinations comprise the program year in and year out and due to the commendable activity of the center three awards in the form of certificates have been presented to the Cresaptown school by the National Congress, Parent-Teachers' Association.

Only a small room was available for examinations when the center was established ten years ago and it was not until two years ago that the quarters were enlarged.

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Let's remember that when we make them happy on Christmas day that we may be answering the hope, dream and prayers that some mother has for her little girl or boy. You good people of Cumberland have always responded greatly to worthy causes. You can do it again this year even in a larger way.

No doubt some of you are saying right now as you read this "how much is it going to cost me?". Well, it need not cost you a red cent in cash. Here's how you can help.

Any of you folks who have old toys, your children have outgrown or discarded, can be the means of making some youngster happy on Christmas morning.

All you need to do is to notify the Salvation Army and they will call for the toys. Firemen at the West Side and South End fire stations will repair and paint the toys making them look almost like new.

Folks who don't have toys to send but who want to help make some child happier can send a donation to the Salvation Army. It will see that the gift is used to gladden the hearts of some Cumberland youngster.

So let's start now and make this Christmas the largest one yet for many Cumberland children.

Induction Program Runs Smoothly For Allegany County Draftees

officials, the induction of the Allegany county group was not delayed. The boys went right through to camp and donned their uniforms.

Oliver H. Bruce, Jr., stated yesterday that many questionnaires are being returned to registrants by boards due to failure of registrants to follow instructions in filling out the papers.

Reason for this is the fact that many of the boys are failing to consult attorneys, Bruce said. He urged that members of the bar be consulted in all cases since the attorneys are informed on what is necessary to be done.

Members and clerks of Allegany county's four draft boards whose careful work is responsible for the

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Mother Charged With Deserting Four Children

Raymond E. Wilson Asks Divorce; Says Wife Ran Off with Another Man

A mother of four young daughters yesterday was charged with running off with another man by her husband who filed suit for divorce in circuit court.

The petition was docketed by Raymond Elsworth Wilson, of Westernport, who charges that his wife, Mrs. Hazel Virginia Wilson, ran away with a Westernport man about four months after their last child was born.

According to the petition filed by Attorney Horace P. Whitworth, Jr., Mrs. Wilson ran away with a man identified as Roy C. Shaffer, also of Westernport. She is now living with Shaffer in Richmond, Va., the petition charges.

The Wilsons were married in December, 1926, and are the parents of four daughters, ages seven, four, and two years, and the youngest four months. The last child was born June 25, 1940.

Wilson charges his wife left home on November 13 of this year without any explanation. He charges his wife with neglecting her children and home for the last four months.

Wilson had asked the court for a vinculo matrimonii decree and the custody of the four children.

CHEMIST, REPORTED MISSING, IS LOCATED IN CAPITAL HOSPITAL

Missing since Nov. 15, Walter P. Zophy, 24, a research chemist at the Celanese plant, here, was located over the week-end at Gallinger Municipal hospital, Washington, where he is an amnesia patient.

Yesterday, word was received here that he had been transferred to St. Elizabeth's hospital, Baltimore.

Zophy, who resided at Allegany Inn, went to Washington by train. When admitted to the hospital he had no direct identification and the hospital appealed to welfare workers to aid.

However, attorneys finally contacted Celanese officials through his Social Security number.

Later, the name of a sister in East Allis, Wis., a suburb of Milwaukee, was found and she was notified of her brother's whereabouts. She and her father, Henry Zophy, are going to his aid.

Zophy, a graduate of the University of Wisconsin, also took graduate work at Ohio State University. He has been in Cumberland since April and roomed on Greene street before moving to Allegany Inn, Baltimore avenue, a month ago.

Reason for this is the fact that many of the boys are failing to consult attorneys, Bruce said. He urged that members of the bar be consulted in all cases since the attorneys are informed on what is necessary to be done.

Members and clerks of Allegany county's four draft boards whose careful work is responsible for the

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Eisenberg Wins \$400 Suit against Lawrence Peskin

Plaintiff Had Charged Violation of Terms of Lease on Store

A verdict for the plaintiffs was returned yesterday by a circuit court jury in the matter of Lorraine E. Eisenberg et al against Lawrence Peskin.

Charging that Peskin violated the terms of the lease after they had reconstructed the store at 135 Baltimore street that was damaged by fire January 25, the Eisenbergs filed suit for \$400, this sum representing the rent said to be due for August of this year.

The plaintiffs, represented by Attorneys Charles Z. Heskett and Edward J. Ryan, state that prior to the fire a lease held by Peskin covered the period from 1936 to 1942. There was a provision in this lease providing that the agreement could be cancelled in case of fire.

Plaintiffs introduced evidence to show that following the fire the parties involved agreed that the lease was not to be cancelled. With this agreement executed, the Eisenbergs went ahead and reconstructed the damaged building. When the work was nearing completion, the plaintiffs testified that Peskin was informed the building would be ready for occupancy by August 1.

Peskin found the reconstructed structure did not meet all necessary requirements that had been agreed upon according to the defendant in the action. Consequently, he continued to operate his shoe business at a new location after August 1.

The jury retired late yesterday afternoon and returned with a verdict for the plaintiffs.

Peskin was represented by Attorneys F. A. Puderbaugh and Benny F. Epstein.

Booster Club A.A. Plans Minstrel Cast for Show Next Month Will Be Selected at Meeting Tonight

A cast for the minstrel show to be presented next month in the Pennsylvania Avenue school auditorium, will be selected by the Booster Club A. A. at a meeting to be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the club rooms on Virginia avenue.

An urgent call is made to all club members for the purpose of selecting a large cast which is required for this "modern" minstrel.

Participants in the show need not be club members and a welcome sign is hung out to any dramatists who wish to aid the club by taking part in the show.

Tickets are being printed now and will go on sale